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## Board opposes annexation plan

Garrett blasts Madison's action

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

The Madison County Board members from the city of Madison are split on the county's opposition to the city's annexation of the Chain of Rocks Landfill.

While board member Junior Milton voted against a county resolution Wednesday opposing the city's annexation, board member Don Garrett was the resolution's most vocal supporter.

Both men represent portions of Madison. "This is the finest resolution ever to cross this board in the 12 years I've been a (county) board member," Garrett said of the resolution. "It protects the interests of nearby residents."

Madison annexed about 700 acres of Chouteau Island, including the landfill and the old Chain of Rocks Bridge, in October — even though the property is located about five miles from the city's boundary.

A state law passed last year apparently applies only to the city of Madison allows cities

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located on a canal or river to "jump over" federal property for annexation purposes. Madison County State's Attorney Bill Haine filed an objection to the annexation in circuit court, claiming that the property is not contiguous to the city and that the city has no interest in regulating the landfill. Haine argued that allowing such annexations would be bad public policy and could prompt other cities to annex property that is not contiguous. He also said the state law was unconstitutional because it applies only to Madison.

Circuit Judge John DeLaurenti entered a default judgment against the city last month because Madison had not responded to the suit in the required period following the action. But City Attorney Casper Nighohossian filed the city's response Tuesday. He argued that the state law is valid and that voiding the

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRES)

**Story teller** — Story teller Janice Katambwa of Cahokia narrates an African folk tale about a magic calabash to a group of Grigsby Middle School students. Katambwa visited the school to share with the students stories she learned during the seven years she spent in Zaire teaching English. Behind her are students Amanda Boone, left, and Kyle Cobb, right. More photos on Page 5A.

## Making way for progress: Board OKs land takeover

A local man will apparently lose his property to the new Gateway International Raceway Board Wednesday approved a resolution to authorize use of "quick-take" eminent domain for Southwestern Illinois Development Authority.

Charles Lukas of Edwardsville, stands to lose 49 acres to the new raceway's parking lot needs. He will be paid for the property at a value to

be determined. Lukas apparently had been approached previously to sell the property to the developers of the raceway — Grand Prix Association of Long Beach, Calif. — but he refused. Gateway International is a new, \$25 million, state-of-the-art racing complex under construction in the city of Madison near Interstate 55-70 and Illinois Route 203. The raceway will feature four

tracks, one of which will be a world-class 1.25-mile oval track for Indy cars or NASCAR racing. SWIDA has been working hand-in-hand with the raceway to develop the complex. Alan Ortballs, SWIDA director, said the agency normally would use standard eminent domain procedures to acquire the property. However, the raceway has a big event scheduled to kick off the new

season on May 24 and standard procedures would take too much time, he said. About 50,000 people are expected to descend on the area for a race of the Championship Auto Racing Teams (CART), which race Indy cars. "They have got to have places to park those cars," Ortballs said. The raceway lies mostly in St. Clair County in the city of Madison, but Lukas' property is in unincorporated Madison County. The county line is nearby.

Ortballs said Lukas' property could provide 5,000 to 6,000 spaces. If approved by the County Board, the eminent domain procedure will still face approval by SWIDA's board of directors. Lukas could not be reached for comment. — From The Telegraph

## Reunion

After 16 years, man gets to see daughter

By Michelle Duell  
Staff writer

After 16 long years of worry, heartache and hurt, 40-year-old Gary Jensen of Granite City plans to see his daughter for the first time since she was 2. He, his mother and father, sister and niece were expecting to greet Crystal — whose mother look her away July 18, 1981 — at St. Louis Lambert International Airport late Wednesday afternoon. Jensen said he felt a little bit nervous about the reunion. He has only a five-year-old picture of Crystal that he received five years ago when she was 12, so he doesn't even know what she'll look like.

"She'll be staying with me now, though," he said. "I sure am glad to have her back." The reuniting with Crystal was made possible because her mother abandoned her five months ago in Fort Collins, Colo. — after she met a man and moved with him to Wyoming.

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(Photo by SHIRLEY VALENCIA)

**Dance time** — Karla Jones and Carla Haug watch their friends on the dance floor during a Valentine's Day dance sponsored by the Mexican Honorary Commission. More photos on Page 3A.

## Undercover work profiled

More than 300 arrests made

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Granite City's investment in three undercover police officers appears to be paying off.

The Granite City police department currently has one undercover officer on loan to the Metropolitan Enforcement Group of Southwestern Illinois with two more officers assigned to undercover investigations in the city.

The results of those undercover activities included more than 163 felony and 150 misdemeanor arrests in 1996; confiscation of about \$14,000 in cash and two vehicles; and seizure of more than 20,000 grams of marijuana with a street value of more than \$100,000, 2,000 dosage units of Lysergic Acid Diethylamide worth about \$16,000; more than 150 grams of cocaine worth more than \$15,000; nearly 100 grams of methamphetamine worth about \$10,000; 60 dosage units of heroin; and other assorted prescription drugs, according to Police Chief Dave Ruebhausen's annual report to the mayor and City Council.

"The uniformed patrol division, which handles calls for service, is the backbone of any police unit. They're the ones out on the front line making arrests," Ruebhausen said. "But by nature of their appearance in uniforms and in marked squads, it is almost impossible for them to seek out and have an impact on drug dealing, drug use and prostitution."

"Those types of crime require covert-type

operations." MEGSI, which is composed of officers from several area police departments, made 22 felony arrests in Granite City last year, Ruebhausen said. The local department's two-man undercover unit made 293 arrests in 1996, for crimes such as possession of cannabis, possession of a controlled substance, delivery of a controlled substance and prostitution.

The drug unit spent \$440 for undercover drug purchases and another \$18 in fees to informants.

The same unit seized \$13,940 in cash, two cars, 10 guns, assorted knives, thousands of rounds of ammunition and scanners, scales and other items.

Ruebhausen said the covert operations have deterred some illegal activity because criminals now know undercover officers are seeking them out.

"I don't want to have to wait for a drive-by shooting of drug dealer before we begin to investigate drug dealing. I don't want to have to find a prostitute dead in an alley before we do something about prostitution," Ruebhausen said. "We are fortunate to have a mayor and City Council willing to provide the resources for these units."

In an attempt to better serve the community, the department now has drug house survey forms available at the police station. Those suspecting illegal activities at a specific location should fill out a form or call the detective division at 876-9027.

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John Fuller, Meteorologist, KSDK-NewsChannel 5

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## Salute

U.S. Air Force Lt. Col. Tom P. Palmer Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom P. Palmer Sr. of Granite City, was recently promoted to his present rank. Palmer He also holds bachelor's and master's degrees at San Marcos University in Austin, Texas. Palmer received his wings in 1980 and has been in active service for 26 years. His wife Cathy teaches high school and their daughter Kendall recently graduated from high school and plans to attend college in the fall. They live in Fort Walton Beach, Fla.



Lt. Col. Tom P. Palmer Jr.



## News in review

News in review provides a summary of some of the past week's stories. The column is designed for out-of-town readers who do not receive the Sunday and Wednesday Press-Record/Journals.

### Attempted murder charged

A Granite City woman has been charged with attempted first-degree murder for allegedly throwing her 33-month-old son down an embankment Wednesday after a failed attempt to kill both herself and her child by standing in rush-hour traffic on Illinois 3.

Dawn E. Readhead, 21, of the 2900 block of Oak Street, was charged Thursday. Bond was set at \$150,000. The boy, who was placed in the custody of the Department of Children and Family Services.

Witnesses told police Readhead dragged the boy into the middle of Illinois 3 near West 20th Street at about 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, then stood in the middle of traffic.

### Candidate blasts lack of audit

Mayoral candidate Paul Ray Bowler says the lack of an audit of city funds for the past three years will hinder the city's ability to lure development to a proposed tax increment finance district along Illinois 3.

Mayor Ron Selph said the city's financial department has not completed audits from 1993 through 1996 because of paperwork associated with federal reimbursement of nearly \$4 million in repair costs associated with flooding.

But Bowler said the cities of Alton, Grafton, East St. Louis, Cahokia, Madison, Venice and Belleville — all cities that sustained flood damages — have been able to complete audits at least through 1995.

Bowler said the lack of an audit has led to the loss of the city's bond rating. That, Bowler said, will discourage potential developers from locating business here.

### Revised funding proposed

Education funding reform is one of the top priorities of Gov. Jim Edgar, legislators and educators.

And most agree that any change in the way public schools are funded must include property tax relief.

While the Illinois Constitution gives the state primary responsibility for financing public schools, the state's portion of school funding has not exceeded that of local property taxes since 1976. And state funding has consistently decreased since that time.

The heavy reliance on property taxes has resulted in drastic inequity in school funding. For example, school spending in Illinois last year ranged from \$17,000 per pupil in one district to \$2,932 per pupil in another.

### Tobacco sales targeted

Legislation proposed in the Illinois Senate would require that merchants selling tobacco pay \$100 annually to sell the product and lose their license if caught selling to minors.

Most Granite City area store managers refused to comment on the proposal. But Dan Monroe, an employee at Sullie's Package Liquor and Lotto, was not so reluctant. "They're asking us to be the world's policemen," Monroe said. "All we're trying to do is run a business. To me, it's ridiculous."

### Rape under investigation

The early-morning rape Sunday of a Collinsville woman may be another crime committed by the South Side rapist. Collinsville police are investigating the sexual assault of a woman in her home in the 500 block of St. Louis Road. The woman, who is in her late 30s, called police about 4:10 a.m. Sunday.

"Of course we're looking at that (link to the South Side rapist), and we're going to check the DNA if at all possible," Collinsville Assistant Police Chief Ed Delmore said. "And we think it's possible."

While the victim was threatened with a knife, she was not cut or stabbed by the attacker, Delmore said. The attacker is believed to be about 6 feet tall with a medium build.

"And we still believe him to be a white male," Delmore said.

The victim was treated and released from a local hospital. At the crime scene, police discovered that the rapist had removed a screen and entered the home through an unlocked window.

Delmore said this is something residents need to remedy.

### Warriors send 7 to state

The Granite City Warriors are sending seven wrestlers to the Illinois class AA state tournament this weekend at Assembly Hall in Champaign.

Adame Dunnivant (112 pounds) and Kevin Venne (189) claimed sectional titles last week, while Gary Oxford (103), Mike Glover (119), Brooks Narvaez (140), Jonas Janek (145) and George Kirgan (171) were runners-up.

# 3 in running for judgeship

The race to fill a new associate judge seat will begin this week with 13 candidates in the running.

Madison County Chief Judge Nicholas Byron said Friday he expected to begin delivering ballots this week to the nine circuit judges, who will then have 10 days to vote for the candidate of their choice.

"Hopefully, we'll have someone in place in March," Byron said. "We are in desperate need of another judge. The caseload is getting bigger and we need some help."

The Illinois Supreme Court recently granted permission to create a new associate judgeship for the Third Circuit, which includes Madison and Bond counties. There are currently 10 associate judges.

Byron said the caseload is suffering another setback while Circuit Judge John DeLaurenti, who presides in Bond County, recovers at home from a recent heart attack.

"He's at home and he's doing well," Byron said. "We needed another judge even before DeLaurenti fell ill. He'll be back soon, but we are still going to need an extra judge."

Several familiar candidates had

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— Nicholas Byron  
Chief judge

submitted applications for the new position by Thursday's deadline.

Included in the list are attorneys Randall Bono of Wood River, Barbara Crowder of Edwardsville, James Drzen of Troy, Allen Gillard Jr. of Edwardsville, John Haynes of Edwardsville and David Hylla of East Alton.

Also applying are Jonathan Isbell of Edwardsville, Mary Lloyd Lowe of Springfield, Edward McCarthy of Edwardsville, Ralph Mendelsohn of Godfrey, Edwin Potter of Highland and

William Sherwood of Alton. Dan O'Neill, an assistant Illinois Attorney General in Springfield, has also applied for the position.

O'Neill unsuccessfully ran for Madison County State's Attorney against William Haine in the 1992 primary and also lost a bid in 1976 when he ran against the late Sen. Sam Vadalabene.

Bono, who had recently served as a circuit judge, is considered the front runner. He stepped down from the bench in November after filling a vacancy left by retiring Circuit Judge George Filcoff of Granite City.

"Bono has an excellent record for moving cases," Byron said. "He probably stands a good chance of winning, but there are a lot of good attorneys on the list. We'll just have to see."

The Illinois Supreme Court appointed Bono to the vacancy left by Filcoff in November 1996.

Bono had considered running for the circuit seat in the 1996 primary against then Associate Judge J. Lawrence Keshner, but backed out. Keshner was elected to the circuit position in November, prompting Bono's departure.

— From The Telegraph

# Meeting comes to abrupt end

Madison officials appeared at county committee meeting

A Madison County Board committee meeting ended abruptly Tuesday after an exchange between committee members and Madison city officials regarding the city's controversial annexation of Chouteau Island proper.

City officials appeared at the county's Land Use Committee meeting to urge County Board members not to vote on a resolution disapproving of the city's annexation of 700 acres on the island, including the Chain of Rocks bridge and a landfill.

The county has filed a lawsuit to stop the annexation. Because the matter remains under litigation, committee members were loathe to discuss the situation.

"I don't think we need to sit and listen to this," move we adjourn," said board member Bob Stille, D-Edwardsville.

The subject has been an ongoing legal battle since Oct. 8, when the city annexed the property.

The annexation raised concerns that the city may not have proper interest in the environmental maintenance of the landfill, because it lies about five miles from the city proper and across the

Chain of Rocks Canal.

Madison County State's Attorney Bill Haine subsequently filed suit to block the annexation. The county scored a victory last month when Madison failed to respond to the suit in time, and a judge ruled the annexation void.

But the city filed a motion Tuesday asking the court to allow the annexation to stand. The motion states that the city already had territory on the island and is providing better service to the area.

Conceding the Chain of Rocks Canal many years ago created Chouteau Island in the Mississippi River and isolated a tiny portion of the city of Madison on the island.

City Attorney Casper Nighoghossian attended the county meeting and criticized Haine for filing the county's lawsuit with an official expression of support from the County Board. He said he objected to the county's consideration of a resolution opposing the annexation until the legal battle is resolved.

He said the County Board was considering the resolution "as sort of a cover" because they had not adopted one earlier.

However, County Board member Jack Frandsen, D-Alhambra, said the resolution would go to the full board for a vote.

Haine said he planned to argue that the city "failed to exercise due diligence" in waiting more than 90 days to file a response to his suit.

According to Nighoghossian's motions filed Tuesday, Haine failed to inform the Attorney General's office about his request for a default judgment against the city of Madison.

Nighoghossian's motion also claims that the city of Madison would "suffer a loss of its municipal tax base" if the annexation is actually voided. The city had 30 days to respond to the default ruling that the annexation was void.

Madison officials had said the purpose of the annexation was to bring the old Chain of Rocks bridge into the city, but they also annexed the landfill at the request of Waste Management, which operates the landfill.

Some county officials fear the city would authorize expansion of the landfill. — From The Telegraph

## •Board

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annexation would prevent the city from providing needed services.

On Wednesday, County Board member Jack Frandsen, chairman of the Land Use Committee, proposed a resolution opposing the annexation.

"If anybody should ever annex it, it is Granite City," Frandsen said. "It's in their back yard."

Milton made a motion to table the resolution until after the court rules on the matter, but that motion failed. Garrett, who voted "hell no" on the motion to table the resolution, was vocal in his opposition to the annexation.

"I've lived in the city of Madison all my life and served on the city council and school board," Garrett said. "I know you cannot trust the city leaders in the city of Madison to protect the residents."

"It is the most racist city in America... I've seen corruption everywhere. They're only interested in lining their pockets."

Madison Mayor John Bellico, who attended the meeting, said Garrett's comments were motivated by "sour grapes." Bellico said he denied a liquor permit to one of Garrett's family members about 15 years ago.

"I can't believe I heard Don Garrett say that. You can rest assured a lot of people will contradict the comments. I think it's a sad day when a resident says something like that about our wonderful little city," Bellico said.

Nighoghossian said Garrett has "lost touch with reality." "You just have to look at the source," Nighoghossian said. "Mayor Mr. Garrett was looking in the mirror when he said that. The description apply fits him."

## United Way meeting slated

All United Way supporters and volunteers are invited to attend the Tri-Cities Area United Way annual meeting and campaign celebration to be held at noon on Wednesday, March 5.

The meeting will be a luncheon event held at the Elk's Hall, 4801 Maryville Road, Granite City. Cost of the luncheon is \$5per person. Anyone planning to attend is asked to make an advanced reservation by calling the United Way, 677-5700.

John Fruit, retiring board president, will give a year end report on the organization's 1996 activities. Dennis Orsey, 1996 campaign chairman, will summarize the results of the United Way fund raising effort and disbursement of allocations to the United Way supported programs and services.

Election of new board members and officers will follow the meeting.

Nighoghossian said Madison's annexation was proper and that the city is being targeted because it has been innovative in its economic development efforts. As an example, he cited the annexation of land in neighboring St. Clair County several years ago, which led to the recent \$22 million improvement to Gateway International Raceway.

"We're ahead of our time. We're innovative and creative," Nighoghossian said. "Under Illinois law, municipalities may annex and grow — regardless of what Mr. Haine or the county may say."

The county had jurisdiction over landfill matters until the annexation.

Nighoghossian said the county suit was prompted by greed. But the county would continue to receive tipping fees from Waste Management, the company that operates the landfill, even if the annexation is upheld, Nighoghossian said.

He said that the city has not yet negotiated any host agreement with the landfill.

Haine said the lawsuit has nothing to do with money. "I've never bothered with money issues in this case. I don't even know what the money is," Haine said. "The County Board is concerned about the orderly process of annexation. This power, given to the city of Madison, is the only such law in the history of the state."

If upheld, Haine said, the law could prompt "troops of municipal officials marching to Springfield" to obtain special legislation.

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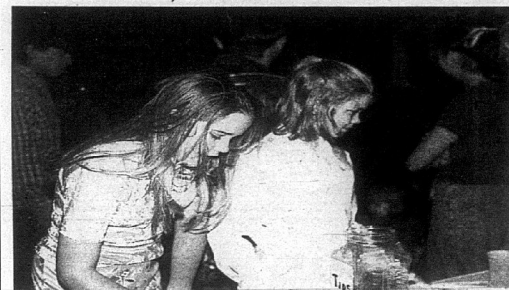
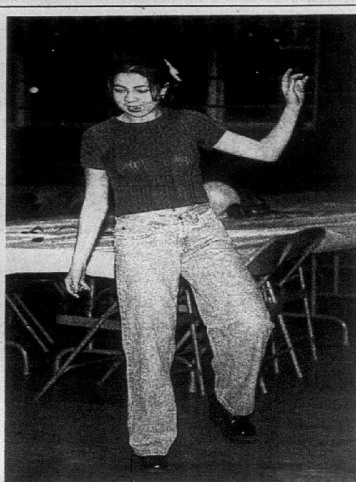
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**Fun time** — Above, a group of youngsters dance at a Valentine's Day teen dance hosted by the Mexican Honorary Commission. The dance was funded with a \$100 grant from the United Way to the M.H.C.'s dance troupe. The group used the grant to buy a CD player to provide the music and raffle off and sold tickets to raise more money to pay for the dance, which was free for the kids and featured soda and snacks. Brenda Martinez won the CD player. At right, dancing to the music is Crystal Becerra. Below left, Melissa Wesley and Kelly Kaylich sign the table cover at the dance. Below right, enjoying themselves are Misty Bugg, Elizabeth Aleman and Amanda Byrd.



## Papa names Vonnahmen to board

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

As expected, Madison County Board Chairman Rudy Papa appointed Frank Vonnahmen to the county board on Wednesday. Vonnahmen is a retired dentist and military veteran from Godfrey. He replaces former District 6 board member Bill Aery, whom Papa recently appointed county treasurer.

Vonnahmen was one of about four Godfrey Republicans to express interest in the position. He is a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army, having retired at the rank of Lt. Col. He and his wife Pat have four children.

"I'm really looking forward to working with the County Board," Vonnahmen said.

In other action, the board approved a low-interest loan of up to \$53,000 to Brenda's Restaurant, authorized a loan to attorney Lance Callis of Granite City to develop a senior citizen housing project on Adams Street.

authorized a solid waste management grant to Granite City School District #9; and approved a three-year contract with Teamsters Local 525 for employees of the county highway and animal control departments.

Brenda's Restaurant is located on Pontoon Road at the former site of Ervay's Restaurant and Lounge. The new business is expected to create about 25 new jobs.

Board member Harold Byers, D-Highland, opposed the loan, saying that restaurants are "too risky" for investment of county funds.

"I'm surprised the County Board is even considering this," Byers said, noting that the county still has not recovered about \$150,000 loaned to a restaurant in the past.

But board member Homer Henke, R-Moro, said the county will hold a first mortgage on the property, which is worth considerably more than the loan amount.

As long as the loan is collateralized, we don't have any problem," said board member Don Rea, D-Pontoon Beach.

The union contract was approved after an executive session lasting about 30 minutes. It covers about 35 employees of the county highway and animal control departments, who will receive 4 percent raises.

"If we had all our employees work as hard as the highway department, we'd have a hell of a work force," said board member Junior Milton.

## Couple claims \$31 million prize

Valentine's Day proves sweet for family from Wood River

WOOD RIVER — This Valentine's Day was particularly sweet for Wood River residents Donald and Shirley Swarrington, who celebrated by claiming a \$31 million prize.

The couple appeared Friday at the Cahokia office of the Illinois Lottery to turn in the ticket with winning numbers 22, 27, 29, 36, 49 and 50.

"After taxes are deducted, Donald and Shirley will receive a \$1,069,500 check every year for 20 years," said lottery representative Mike Lang, who verified the winning ticket and carried it back to the lottery office in Springfield.

Donald Swarrington, a 53-year-old truck driver for Kienstra Inc. in Wood River, said he usually spent about \$2 a week on lottery tickets. On Feb. 8, he stopped at TJ's Food Mart in Benld to buy a cup of

capuccino for his wife and decided to spend \$3.

"The last six numbers on the quick pick turned him into a multimillionaire," said clerk Jackie Price, who was excited about selling the ticket.

Store co-owners Terry "TJ" and JoAnn Plovich will receive a \$310,000 check for selling the winning ticket.

"Our lottery business has picked up since the \$31 million winner," JoAnn Plovich said.

Donald Swarrington said he played the Lotto game for years and believed it might eventually pay off, although his family had their doubts.

"I told my wife I had played some quick picks for the Lotto game," he said. "She said, 'You just threw away \$3.' But she doesn't think so now."

Laid off from his truck driving job, he said he may retire. Meanwhile, the couple will buy a new home for themselves and plan to move Donald's mother from a nursing home to a home of her own.

The couple plan to share their multimillion-dollar winnings with their five children and eight grandchildren. "We're going to split it up with them," Donald Swarrington said. "But I told them to keep their jobs. When they get their money, they can do what they want to with it."

Their children are Kelly Riggins, 35, Tina Schneider, 33, Dan Swarrington, 31, and twins Mark and Mike, 20.

"Don Swarrington said he'll continue to play \$2 on lottery tickets," Lang said. "Maybe he'll win again."

— From The Telegraph

## 25 to fast to fight hunger

More than 25 young people in the youth group of Calvary Pentecostal Assembly will go without food for 30 hours on Feb. 21-22 to help fight hunger and poverty around the world.

The group from Calvary Pentecostal Assembly, located at 4650 Maryville Road, will join thousands of others across the U.S. and Canada in World Vision's annual 30 Hour Famine. The international Christian relief and development agency, World Vision, sponsors the 30-hour Famine each year to help young people learn about global hunger issues and to raise funds for the fight against hunger.

Participants are asking family, friends, and neighbors to sponsor them financially as they go without food for 30 hours to identify with those who are hungry. Through videos, games, special events and involvement in local service projects, they learn about hunger and what they can do to help others.

In 1996, more than 300,000 American young people raised over \$4 million through the 30 Hour Famine. The youth group from Calvary Pentecostal Assembly raised over \$2,200 alone. This year the youth group's goal is \$3,000.

Doug McGlashan, the national director of the 30 Hour Famine, has seen the program grow dramatically over the past few years. McGlashan says, "Young people in this country have enormous compassion for children and families in need. The more they learn, the more they become committed to making a difference in their world. We can all learn from their example and enthusiasm."

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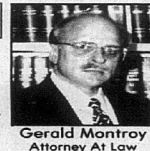
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# Opinion

## Carol's comments Cosby insights are on target

More than 10 years have passed since Bill Cosby's book, "Fatherhood," saw publication, but I recently took my dusty copy off the shelf and re-read it. Doesn't take long; it's short and pithy and, of course, funny, even the second time around.

The tragic death of Cosby's son, Ennis, had nothing to do with my urge to renew acquaintance with the parental insights of America's favorite dad. What did was an ongoing nightly segment on NBC's 5:30 news, dedicated to exploration of what's wrong with the American family. Since I'm not always home in time to catch the news, I saw only two of these and they depressed the hell out of me.

The first of the two dealt with kids and morality. How taught where. It only served to confirm what I've suspected for a long time, namely that far too many parents have abdicated their responsibility in this area of child-rearing and have assigned this to the child's school teacher. That segment concluded that although most committed teachers are giving it the old college try, it's helpful but not enough. Dr. Spock could have told us as much.

The second covered the subject of divorce and how it affects children. That America has the highest divorce rate in the world and that two-thirds of those divorces involve kids, and in these families, the decision to split pits personal responsibility against personal freedom. So what's new? This segment presented neither conclusion nor possible solutions, questioning only whether or not no-fault divorce was too easy to obtain. I gave up on the remainder of the series.

Anyone with an ounce of sense knows, deep-down, that the only place a kid is ever going to develop standards, ethics, morality (call it what you will) to a lifetime is at home. Certainly teachers can (and do) help, but placing total reliance on them to instill a sense of right vs. wrong is unfairly making of them a potential whipping-boy should the kid fall from grace.

I'm not sure what the catch-phrase "family values" means to those politicians



Carol Clarkin

from whose tongues it falls so trippingly (and often), but it's too ambiguous for my taste and makes me want to barf. All families don't have the same set of values anymore than we all share the same beliefs. But I like to think that we recognize what's permissible and what's unacceptable in a shared society and that we can relay those standards on to our children.

Further, that we can see to it that they follow those rules (at least while we still have some control) and that failure to do so will result in penalties of one kind or another. Not always easy, as Cosby pointed out in his book. "Let me repeat: NOTHING is harder for a parent than getting your kid to do the right thing. There is such a rich variety of ways for you to fail: by using threats, by using bribery, by using reason, by using, for example, by using blackmail, or by pleading for mercy."

When all else fails, he says, resort to butt-kicking. Frankly, I prefer the Cosby approach to the over that of the NBC news, and even though much of his book is light-hearted, his dedication to family is dead-serious. "There is no commitment in the world like having children," he writes in conclusion. "Even though they often will drive you to consider commitment of another kind, the value of a family still cannot be measured." And, cites Andre Malraux, "without a family, man alone in the world, trembles in the cold." And, if Cosby's wisdom is not sufficient to dispel the gloom-and-doom of NBC, I can dust off a couple of other oldies, the late Erma Bombeck's "Family: The Ties That Bind and Gag" or "Motherhood: The Second Oldest Profession." Carol Clarkin is an Edwardsville resident.



## Letters to the editor

### Black voters taken for ride

TO THE EDITOR:  
It is horrible the way Black voters in Madison County are being overlooked by the Democratic Party and County Chairman Rudy Papa. I was appalled to let the voters know the situation of our County Board, after reading the *Edwardsville News Democrat*. According to the newspaper, the brother of the county chairman was hired, and as many as six relatives have been hired or promoted by the county since May 20, 1996. Why hasn't Rudy Papa (county chairman) appointed any Blacks to a supervisor's position, or to any office as an assistant? He can't say he can't find any qualified Black person. Madison, Alton, Edwardsville, Venice, and Collinsville are full of qualified Blacks. No excuse, Mr. Chairman, or Democratic Party.

This party is a disgrace to the Black voters in Madison County. The Democratic Party received 85 to 95 percent of the Black votes in all elections. And yet, we don't receive any appointments. Some of those offices in the county have no Blacks or maybe one Black on staff. Most of the Blacks there have been there a long time. There have been no new appointments. Everytime Chairman Papa, or the committee, makes an appointment, the appointee is always a white voter. We do have qualified Blacks in our community. I support my county board member, Don Garrett, for speaking out. The county chairman needs to be an elected office, by the people. Wake up Black voters in Madison County, especially in

Venice Township. If the county chairman and Madison County Democrats keep ignoring us, let's support candidates who support our people. And vote out the Black politicians who go along with these practices. We are living in 1997 not 1897. Enough is enough!!!

REV. JOHN HENRY WILLIAMS  
Venice

### Schools will defend suit

TO THE EDITOR:  
I was surprised to read an article in several local newspapers regarding a student who was injured in one of our schools. The parents claimed that the teacher was not in the classroom supervising the children. This is absolutely untrue. The teacher was present and supervising the students at the time of the accident. She immediately responded by examining the eye and sending the student to the nurse's office.

Though nothing was visibly wrong with the student's eye, an ice pack was applied; and at the end of the day, the parent of the child was informed of the incident. The student told the teacher the next day that he had been taken to the emergency room and that his eye was fine. Even under the most highly supervised conditions, accidents will occur in the classroom. An internal investigation indicates that there was absolutely no negligence on the part of this staff member. It should take no one by surprise that attorneys representing this parent are asking for \$50,000 in damages. There is more at stake in this case than

dollars and cents. The integrity of the district and a fine teacher has been compromised. This case will merit a staunch defense.

STEVE BALEN  
Superintendent  
Granite City School Dist. 9

### Parents must work together

TO THE EDITOR:  
How can we as loving and concerned parents allow this to continue? Here is the situation: I have a 14-year-old son who is constantly in trouble with the law. He is continually running away from home. Now, here is the part I cannot understand: How can a parent allow someone else's child to stay an extended amount of time in their home without trying to find out where the child lives and contact the parents?

What I would like to see happen is for the parents of the Madison and Venice area to get together to stop this type of thing from happening. How can we as concerned parents harbor a "fugitive." Please, parents, let's work together to stop this from happening.

CARROLL P. SULLIVAN  
Madison

### 'Spay Day' set for Feb. 25

TO THE EDITOR:  
Millions of lives and millions of taxpayer dollars have been

saved during the past two years as a result of the hard work of volunteers across the country.

This has been accomplished because of a unique program in which people representing a variety of organizations and interests have worked cooperatively toward solving a problem. The lives saved are those of our "best friends" — cats and dogs — and the savings to each community's taxpayers will average \$10 in 10 years for every \$1 spent today.

Feb. 25 marks the third annual "Spay Day USA," a national grassroots effort that takes place in communities throughout America such as Madison County. Millions of cats and dogs are euthanized each year because there are simply not enough good homes for them. This is a tragedy the Spay Day USA, sponsored by the Washington, D.C.-based Dorr Day Animal League, is directly helping to overcome.

The results have been overwhelming. In 1995, more than 28,000 dogs and cats were spayed and neutered as a result of Spay Day USA. Last year that number topped 51,000 animals nationwide. It's a win-win situation. Not only does Spay Day USA raise awareness about pet overpopulation, but it also encourages humane Americans everywhere to take action by having one cat or dog altered — their own, a friend's, or a shelter animal awaiting adoption.

KATHY BEYER  
Association for the Protection of Animals  
Granite City

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## Real men don't need flowers

(The following column was written by Charles E. Geer of Granite City. "New Survey Reveals Many Men Share Secret Valentine's Day Desire!" Sounds like something you'd see on the cover of a supermarket tabloid, but it was the headline of a recent press release from the Society of American Florists. Just what exactly is this secret Valentine's Day desire?

To receive flowers. Last August, a research firm surveyed 500 men 18 and older and, the survey says, 61 percent of those men say they wanted flowers for Valentine's Day. By age groups, the figure ranged from 79 percent of those 18 to 24, to only 31 percent of those 65 and over. More remarkable was that 40 percent of men have received flowers from a woman; the florist industry notes that 73 percent of those buying flowers for Valentine's Day are men.

I am not one of these fire-in-the-belly types — OK, so I beat drums, but not in the middle of Wilson Park while grunting a la Tim Allen — but neither am I one of

those weepy I-love-you-man types. (Just don't ask me about Jessica's kindergarten class singing "Away in a Manger" at Christmas. I am not sure what I would do, however, if a dozen roses had appeared on my desk Friday, Feb. 14, accompanied by a card reading: "Darling, I love you forever...Eternally yours, etc.")

My first reaction would be to call the florist — obviously someone got the order wrong who told my secretary, or maybe, the guy whose wife just had a baby. But flowers for me? Huh? Or, could it be someone has her eye on me? Couldn't be any of my co-workers. We're co-workers, partners, friends, yes, but it's strictly business. (It saves potential embarrassment, legal headaches and black eyes.) Not to mention the fact that I was not, am not, and will not be tall and dark — hey, one out of three isn't bad.

Now, I have heard of business competitors — especially disc jockeys — sending funeral wreaths to their competitors as a subtle warning that they

will be "buried" in the ratings. Actually, it's as subtle as the discovery of a horse's head in bed, much like the doomed mafioso in *The Godfather*. Besides, most of my broadcast buddies are well above that sort of stuff. More realistically, they've got better things to do with their money.

Don't misunderstand. If I must have flowers, I'd rather have them when and where I can see and enjoy them. There are other gifts a man appreciates on Valentine's Day, none of which money can buy. The security that comes from knowing you are loved for who you are, not for what someone wishes you to be. The reassurance that somehow, it will all work out, even if it doesn't look that way at the moment. A relationship that knows you aren't perfect, yet says over and over, "I love you just the way you are."

As for me, these things will outlast a dozen roses, and I already have them. So what would I do with that dozen roses? I'd send them to my wife.

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# People

## She has many tales to tell...

Social studies students at Grigsby Middle School were given a special treat last Thursday when Janice Katambwa paid them a visit.

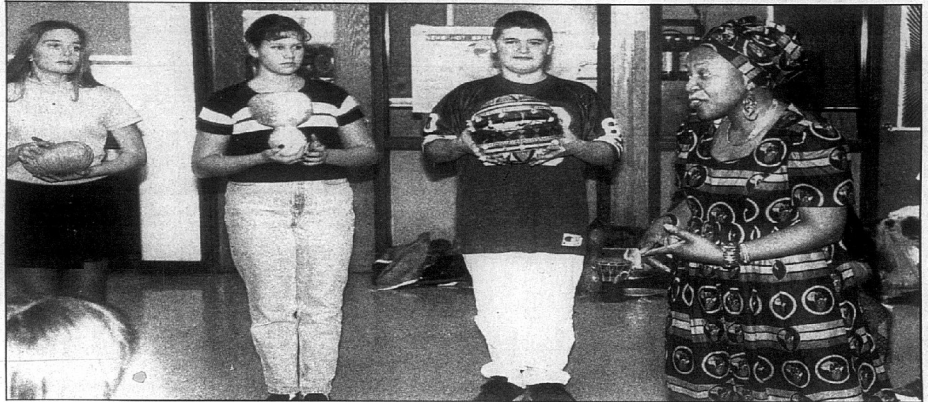
Her arrival was more than just a visit, though, because she came to Grigsby as part of the school's observance of Black History Month.

Katambwa spent seven years teaching English in

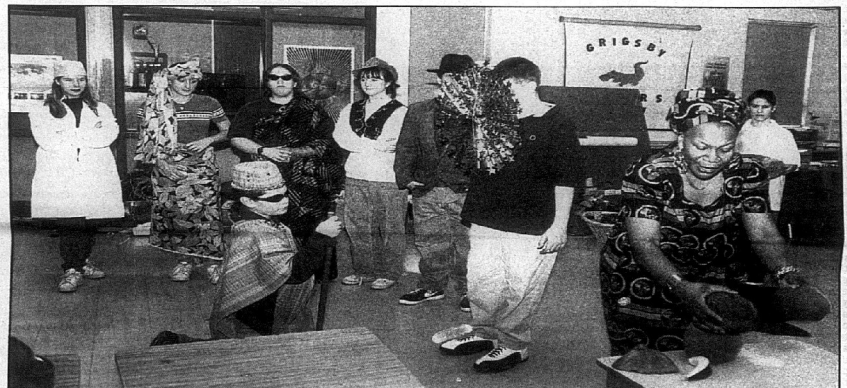
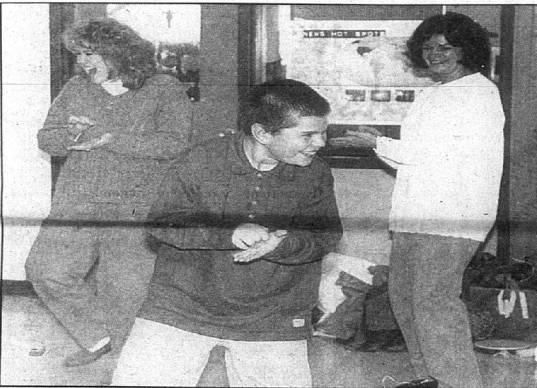
Zaire and while she was there she learned some special things about that African nation's local culture: folklore as related through stories, song and dance. She shared a few of them with the students to help give them some insight into a foreign culture and society. The students gave her a hand in the spinning of the yarns.



Katambwa, photo above, teaches a dance about the end of the dry season and the harvest to the class, including Nicole Bellman, left, and Don Tadlock, right. Jimmy Mayo, photo below, makes up a dance about taking notes during a break in Katambwa's presentation when she invited students and teachers to make up their own interpretations. Behind him are teachers Stephanie Cook, left, and Janet Vaughn, right.



Students Kara Wallace, Amande Boone and Kyle Cobb help Janice Katambwa tell the story of the magic calabash, a tale that warns of the danger of greed.



Katambwa, photo above, tells a story about a boy named Obi Gui Gui, which means dried coconut (which she is holding). Obi, played by Jimmy Mayo, front with cane and sunglasses, puts on airs by inviting the rich to his birthday party instead of his relatives and is taught a lesson by his father, the sun, played by Jamie Gabitsky, with the round mask. Amanda

Reinhardt, Nicole Bellman, Ashley Reynolds, Rachel Wallace and Josh Wright, from left, play his guests, while Drew Blalock, far right, plays the part of the messenger who tips Obi's father off to his plan. Below, Katambwa narrates the story of the calabash. Behind her is student Shanna Keel.



Katambwa tells of how the lion, carried by Lisa Miller, center, failed to save the starving animals.



Katambwa, teacher Stephanie Cook, Janet Vaughn, Karen Messic and Jimmy dance.





## Well Aware 2000

## Recognizing clinical depression

Irritability, persistent procrastination, decreased interest in sex, inability to concentrate, aches and pains for which no cause can be found.

Are these symptoms of a long stressful day at work? Maybe. But they could also indicate something more serious.

These symptoms, among others, when persistent, often indicate the serious illness: clinical depression.

Everyone has an occasional "bad day" when sadness, discouragement or "depression" are experienced. However, when a psychiatrist speaks of depression, he or she is usually referring to the serious medical condition which affects one in six Americans, making it one of the most common (but unfortunately unrecognized) conditions in the United States.

As an illness, depression is a significant problem in many ways. It puts the sufferer at risk for many other medical conditions and frequently worsens existing conditions. This can significantly decrease both the quality and length of life.

Depression also commonly contributes to weight problems. The irritability and withdrawal from social situations that are common in depression tend to isolate the depressed person. This may trigger alcohol or drug abuse and dependence or even suicidal thoughts or behaviors.

Depression also affects the family. Family members wonder why the affected relative is not like his or her "old self." The decreased communication, irritability and isolation caused by depression can promote further conflicts in the home and increase the risks of infidelity as well as inappropriate or harsh parenting. The next generation can thus be affected.

Society as a whole is deeply affected by depression. Millions of dollars are lost each year from missed work days, long-term disability payments and untold amounts for treatment of medical complications of untreated depression. Studies have strongly suggested that depression worsens the outcome of both

heart disease and cancer. Fortunately, the story is not all bad. Excellent treatments are available and 80 percent of the time very significant improvement can occur. Two out of three times, the first antidepressant medication prescribed is effective. Psychotherapy, or talk therapy, can be beneficial as well. The antidepressant medications themselves are not habit forming and there are few serious potential side effects. Nonetheless, they should never be used unless a medical professional has confirmed the condition.

If you or a loved one notice persistent low mood, low energy, poor motivation or poor interest — especially combined with sleep or appetite changes — consider consulting a medical doctor or psychiatrist. Clinical depression may be the cause. Mark E. Freeman, MD, is an adult psychiatrist on staff at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He completed his undergraduate degree and earned his medical degree at the University of Missouri at Kansas City. He served his internship and residency at Washington University in St. Louis. Dr. Freeman is a member of the American Psychiatric Association.

In order to keep our readers informed about the latest medical advances, the Granite City Press-Record has teamed up with St. Elizabeth Medical Center to provide readers with the information they need to know about their health. "Well Aware 2000" is a regular feature of the newspaper. Each issue features community physicians discussing groundbreaking and relevant health care topics.

The focus is on information readers can use to educate themselves, prevent illness and improve their current health. We welcome your letters, questions and comments. Let us know your concerns and we will try to address them.

## Ideas touted for transportation

## Funding question still unanswered

EAST ALTON — The county's traveling transportation show took in ideas about highways, commuter trains, riverports, airports, bus routes and bikes.

Ideas about how to pay for it all were not as forthcoming. About three dozen people attended a public meeting Thursday night at Wood River Township Hall to submit ideas about what the county needs to do to move people and products in the future.

The meeting was held by the Alton-Wood River Area Citizens' Advisory Committee and the Madison County Long-Range Transportation Plan team, made up of professional consultants.

Madison County set up the committee to come up with a plan that will meet the county's long-term transportation needs. Participants said the swift completion of the Alton Bypass, a Madison County spur of the Metrolink light rail system, a high-speed rail line between Chicago and St. Louis, retaining Amtrak service and a new bridge to replace the creaky McKinley Bridge were top priorities, among several others.

The most popular answer to paying for these improvements was a more efficient use of the money available. That answer received 21 votes.

Twenty people voted to use tax revenue anticipated as a result of future population growth.

Enacting tolls on public highways and bridges came up with 12 votes.

Raising taxes was not an option most people wanted to deal with. Increasing sales taxes received only three votes, while increasing motor fuel taxes garnered only two votes.

The efficient spending answer seemed to perplex the people running the meeting.

"When we get citizens together, they always tell us to make more efficient use of funds, but they never tell us how," said Gil Langley of The Langley Group, one of the consulting firms working on the project.

Gary Stahlhut, assistant Madison County highway engineer, said he appreciates the ideas of those who appeared Thursday night. "Needless to say, the big question is how are we going to pay for it," he said.

Clyde Prem, a consultant with Bucher, Willis & Radloff of Kansas City, Mo., said improved transportation is going to be sorely needed because the county's population and jobs are growing by leaps and bounds.

He said the rate of growth in population doubled between 1990 and 1997, compared with the growth rate between 1980 and 1990. The county population stands at 255,400, compared with 247,691 in 1980 and 249,238 in 1990. At that rate, there will be 280,000 people in the county by 2020.

"Growth has begun to occur, and now is a good time to start planning. Two years ago actually would have been a better time," he said.

He said job growth is perhaps even more important when planning transportation, and jobs seem to be growing dramatically.

There are 109,000 jobs now, compared with 87,028 in 1990 and 84,400 in 1990, according to Prem, who based his projections on data supplied by the East-West Metropolitan Planning Commission.

The outlook for 2020 would be 134,400 jobs, Prem said. "We need a plan to accommodate that growth," he said.

— From The Telegraph

## 27 couples tie the knot

## Courthouse celebrates Cupid's Day

The Madison County Courthouse easily could have been mistaken for a chapel of love when 27 couples tied the knot on Valentine's Day.

Blushing brides and nervous grooms packed three courtrooms on the second floor of the building Friday, as judges called couples up to the bench one at a time to recite their wedding vows.

Marriages are performed every Friday in the courthouse, but a record number of takers signed up for Valentine's Day.

"We actually had 32 couples sign up, but only 27 showed up," Dena Cuppett, a courthouse clerk, said. "I guess a few people got cold feet."

Judges usually perform between five and 10 marriages on Fridays.

"You can't get married in February without getting married on Valentine's Day," groom Randy Largin of Glen Carbon said. "We thought it was appropriate."

Largin and his bride, Renee, said they knew there would be a long line but decided it was worth the wait to be married with Cupid looking over their shoulders.

"We aren't nervous," she said moments before the ceremony. "We plan to have a reception later for our families, but we just wanted to go ahead and do this now. It won't be hard to remember our anniversary."

The ceremonies were quick and painless, each lasting about two minutes.

While couples quietly repeated their vows in front of a judge, wedding music blared loudly from a boom box on the balcony.

Chief Criminal Circuit Judge Edward C. Ferguson said he put together the music mix to add a little flavor.

"I thought it might liven up the place," he said, occasionally adjusting the volume as "Celebrate" echoed throughout the building, drawing laughter from

spectators. "We wanted to make it a little special for Valentine's Day. Plus, we don't have an organ."

Cuppett, who signed in couples when they arrived for the ceremonies, said some of the grooms appeared nervous.

"They just want to get it over with," she said. "They had to sign a form when they first got here, and a lot of them thought that's all they had to do. Some of the guys tried to leave before they saw the judge. They were just nervous."

Alton newlyweds Rodney Foiles, 37, and Tamara Maria, 36, were pleased to have the ceremony behind them.

When Foiles was given permission to kiss his new bride, 8-year-old Elizabeth Maria threw her hands over her mouth in delight.

"We've been together for four years," Tamara Maria said. "We wanted to get married here because it's easier."

— From The Telegraph

## Seminar for women is Tuesday

Women can learn how to get the most out of work and life by attending "Negotiating Skills for Women," a seminar sponsored by Belleville Area College's Center for Training Innovations.

It is scheduled for 8 a.m. to noon, Tuesday, Feb. 25, at the Fairview Heights Ramada Inn located at the intersection of Illinois 159 and Interstate 64. A continental breakfast will be served at 7:45 a.m.

The cost is \$49 per person, which will include the breakfast, a training manual and a personalized certificate of completion.

The presenter will be Kristi Morrison, marketing director for the geropsychiatric mental health services for people ages eight to 80.

Women attending this seminar will learn how to improve the quality of their lives by improving the quality of communications with people who make important decisions.

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BROADCAST STATIONS														
KTVI	(3)	Entertain	** 1/2 Predator (1987) Annet Schwarzenegger.		Night Stand (In Stereo)	Fires Rescue	Heaven (7)	Walters	Catholic Mass					
KMBC	(3)	Polynesian Backstage Patrol	[High Info]		News (H)	News A.M.	News A.M.	Living	Public Prog.	Newsweek	St. Louis			
KSDK	(3)	5's Saturday	Comedy Sketches	NBC News Minute	News (H)	News A.M.	News A.M.	Living	Public Prog.	Newsweek	St. Louis			
KNLG	(3)	Saturday Night Sing	[2 High Info]		Comedy	Comedy	Comedy	Living	Public Prog.	Newsweek	St. Louis			
KNLN	(3)	Death-In Concert	** Hot To Trot (1996) Comedy Bob Goodkard.		Beverly Hills	90210 (3)	Public Prog.	Church	Dinosaur	Dinosaur				
KNSD	(3)	News (In Stereo)	Man From U.N.C.L.E.	U.N.C.L.E.	Man From U.N.C.L.E.	90210 (3)	Public Prog.	Church	Dinosaur	Dinosaur				
KPLR	(3)	Three Strokes	Baywatch (In Stereo)	Baywatch: The Series	Tarzan: Excite Adventures	WonderFly	Appendix	Kids	Psychology	Psychology				
CABLE STATIONS														
CHN	(3)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)	Scoreboard Central (R)
CNN	(3)	Larry King Live (H)	Business	Managing	Computer	Diplomatic	Sports	Shorebirds	Moneyweek	Chips	Dailybreak	ProGrid		
NICK	(3)	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror	Rocky Horror
TNT	(3)	** 1/2 "Polonay" (1992) Drew Barrymore.		** "Humorous" (1993) Comedy John G. Burt Foster.		** "Humorous" (1993) Comedy John G. Burt Foster.		** "Humorous" (1993) Comedy John G. Burt Foster.		** "Humorous" (1993) Comedy John G. Burt Foster.		** "Humorous" (1993) Comedy John G. Burt Foster.		** "Humorous" (1993) Comedy John G. Burt Foster.
ESPN	(3)	"WHEEL" "Tropical Treasures" (1995) Comedy.		Sinatra "The Passenger" (1995) Comedy.		Sinatra "The Passenger" (1995) Comedy.		Sinatra "The Passenger" (1995) Comedy.		Sinatra "The Passenger" (1995) Comedy.		Sinatra "The Passenger" (1995) Comedy.		Sinatra "The Passenger" (1995) Comedy.
DISN	(3)	Sportscenter (H)	St. PGA	Boxing World Championship (R)		Boxing World Championship (R)		Boxing World Championship (R)		Boxing World Championship (R)		Boxing World Championship (R)		Boxing World Championship (R)
FX	(3)	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille	Justice Fille
TBS	13	(12:20) ** 1/2 "Salem's Lot" (1979) Horror David S. Ward.		Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local
TWC	26	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local
WGN	12	Night Stand (In Stereo)	Fishing	Fitness	Fame	Fame "Indian Summer"	Meredith	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style
WISN	12	Night Stand (In Stereo)	Fishing	Fitness	Fame	Fame "Indian Summer"	Meredith	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style	Home Style
AMC	28	(17:30) ** 1/2 "Flight of the Phoenix" (1966)		** 1/2 "Life With Father" (1947) William Powell.		** 1/2 "The Haystack of Kibre Dam" (1930)		** 1/2 "The Haystack of Kibre Dam" (1930)		** 1/2 "The Haystack of Kibre Dam" (1930)		** 1/2 "The Haystack of Kibre Dam" (1930)		** 1/2 "The Haystack of Kibre Dam" (1930)
TNN	35	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country	Week Country
MTV	59	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis	Beavis
LIFE	30	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
HN	33	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
FAM	26	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
AAE	51	Duke Ellington: Reminiscing in Tempo (R)		** 1/2 "Impact" (1941) Spencer Brannen		** 1/2 "Impact" (1941) Spencer Brannen		** 1/2 "Impact" (1941) Spencer Brannen		** 1/2 "Impact" (1941) Spencer Brannen		** 1/2 "Impact" (1941) Spencer Brannen		** 1/2 "Impact" (1941) Spencer Brannen
W	15	(12:30) "Allegory II: The Mutation"		Robocop: The Series		Night Stalker (Surreal)		Darkside		Darkside		Darkside		Darkside
HIST	35	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
PREMIUM STATIONS														
HBO	14	"Night"	** 1	** 1/2 "The Professional" (1991) Jean Reno. "V.I. at Sea"		"Miss Evers' Boys" (1997) Denzel Washington. "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."	** 1/2 "The ..."
SHOW	15	"Best of the Best 3: No Turning Back"	** 1/2 "Wharf Rat" (1996) Dennis R.	** 1/2 "A Simple Plan" (1995) Steve Martin. "Degrassi J. ..."		"Degrassi J. ..."		"Degrassi J. ..."		"Degrassi J. ..."		"Degrassi J. ..."		"Degrassi J. ..."
DISN	16	"Jason"	** 1/2 "Can't Buy Me Love" (1987) ...	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."	** 1/2 "Sgt. ..."

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BROADCAST STATIONS												
KMYI (4)	*** "Pirates: Her True Story" (1983, Drama)				a+15 "Jalciano" (1989, Drama) Robert De Niro.				News (8)	H. Patrol	World Fun.	
KMOX (4)	*** "Hulk: Back to the Future" (1996, Sci-Fi)				*** "Hulk: Back to the Future" (1996, Sci-Fi)				CBS News	News (8)	60 Minutes (in Stereo) (8)	
KSDK (3)	*** NBA Basketball: Spurs at Rockets				NBA Awards: Cy Young at St. Louis Blues				News (8)	News (8)	60 Minutes (in Stereo) (8)	
KNLG (2)	*** Here's a Helping Hand				Christian Spirit Awards				Fall	Elmair	Christmas	Larry Lyle
KONL (4)	College Basketball: Duke at UCLA (L.A.) (8)				PGA Golf: Tucson Clashed - Final Round (L.A.) (8)				ABC News	News (8)	News	Videos
KPCC (4)	*** "The Untouchables" (1996, Action)				Adam Carlin: Stand Up				Comic Books		Comic Books	
KPLR (13)	*** "Heartbreak Ridge" (1976, War)				*** "1988" (1988, Comedy)				*** "When a Man Loves a Woman" (1994)		*** "When a Man Loves a Woman" (1994)	Nick Probs
CABLE STATIONS												
CS	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central	Scoreboard Central
CH	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)	Cartoon Report (8)
NICK	*** You Do... Crazy Times	Ship-Show	Hey Dude		Early Prime	Both Sides	World/View	Sources			Capital	Mosfire
TNT	(12:00) *** "The Day After Tomorrow" (1979)	*** "Disaster in Time" (1992) Jay Danals.			*** "Disaster in Time" (1992) Jay Danals.				*** "Polegnet" (1982, Horror) John Wood.		My Brother	Conslare
CS	(11:50) "Pope" (1993)	*** "72" (1992, Adventure) Michael Biehn.			*** "72" (1992, Adventure) Michael Biehn.				*** "Shoot to Kill" (1988) Sidney Polak.			World Sci.
ESPN	*** "The Untouchables" (1996, Action)	*** "The Untouchables" (1996, Action)			*** "The Untouchables" (1996, Action)				*** "The Untouchables" (1996, Action)			Cloudscape
DISC	*** "Over-Roller" (1993)	*** "Over-Roller" (1993)			*** "Over-Roller" (1993)				*** "Over-Roller" (1993)			Scorecenter
WB	(11:35) "Overboard"	*** "My Stagnation" as an Alien (1988, Comedy)			*** "My Stagnation" as an Alien (1988, Comedy)				*** "My Stagnation" as an Alien (1988, Comedy)			Wfinder
TGS	(13:00) "Local"	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	National
WGN	(13:00) "Local"	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	National
WHSN	(13:00) "Local"	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	National
WHSL	(13:00) "Local"	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	National
AMC	(12:30) *** "Sodom and Gomorrah" (1963) (8)	*** "The Bishop's Wife" (1947) Gary Carty.			*** "The Bishop's Wife" (1947) Gary Carty.				*** "The Bishop's Wife" (1947) Gary Carty.			Brotherly
THN	Auto Racing: NASCAR Western Cup - Grand National Warmups 400.	Motor Trip			Motor Trip				Motor Trip			Nick Franco
MTV	Auto Racing: NASCAR Western Cup - Grand National Warmups 400.	Motor Trip			Motor Trip				Motor Trip			Nick Franco
LIFE	(12:30) *** "The Color Purple" (1985, Drama)	*** "The Color Purple" (1985, Drama)			*** "The Color Purple" (1985, Drama)				*** "The Color Purple" (1985, Drama)			Attorneys
HN	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
FM	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
AMC	(12:30) "The Ballad of Josie"	*** "The Night of the Twisters" (1956, Drama) (8)			*** "The Great Outdoors" (1988) Dan Aykroyd.				*** "The Great Outdoors" (1988) Dan Aykroyd.			"Ditchgrass" (8)
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<b>BROADCAST STATIONS</b>												
KTVI (2)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
KMOV (3)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
KSDK (4)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
KNLK (5)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
KDNL (6)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
KETC (7)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
KPLR (8)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
<b>CABLE STATIONS</b>												
SC (9)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
CNN (10)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
NICK (11)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
TNT (12)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
USA (13)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
ESPN (14)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
DISC (15)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
TBS (16)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
WGN (17)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
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AMC (19)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
TNN (20)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
LIFE (21)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
HN (22)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
FAM (23)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
A&E (24)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
SCIFI (25)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
HIST (26)	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00
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WEEKDAY AFTERNOON												
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BROADCAST STATIONS												
KTVI (2)	Batman	Sideways	Embassy	Rangers	Roads O'Donnell	Hard Copy	Real TV	News	News	News	Entertain	As/Journal
KMOV (3)	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Stilwell	Rescue 911	Young and the Restless	News	News	CBS News	News	News	Fortune	Larry Rice
KSDK (4)	Another World	Days of Our Lives	Ed Sullivan	Jeopardy!	Oprah Winfrey	News	News	NBC News	News	News	Fortune	Larry Rice
KNLK (5)	Kelly	Home Life	Panther	Jeopardy!	Garfield	Flintstones	Bruno-Kid	Little House	ABC News	News	Home Inp.	Simpsons
KDNL (6)	One Life to Live	Verliees	Danthering	Ricki Lake	News Incp.	Artists	News	News	News	News	News	Simpsons
KETC (7)	Varied	Puzzle	Relapsed	Wanted	Creatures	Wastbone	Magik Bus	Barney	Barney	Barney	News-Lahr	Simpsons
KPLR (8)	Henny Jones	Paid Prog	Samurai	Bugs/Daffy	Animaniacs	Gargoyles	Quack Pack	Full House	Mr. Cooper	Mr. Cooper	Mac-You	Simpsons
CABLE STATIONS												
SC (9)	Movie Wheel	Street Signs	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp	Market Warp
CNN (10)	CNN Today	Talkback Live	Politics	Early Prime	Shoock	Shoock	Shoock	WorldView	WorldView	WorldView	WorldView	WorldView
NICK (11)	Looney	Teenage	Typi Toop	Muppets	Chimpunks	Cadget	You Alrnat?	Clarissa	Clarissa	Clarissa	Clarissa	Clarissa
TNT (12)	Looney	Teenage	Typi Toop	Muppets	Chimpunks	Cadget	You Alrnat?	Clarissa	Clarissa	Clarissa	Clarissa	Clarissa
USA (13)	USA Live	USA Live	USA Live	USA Live	Wanted	Topi	Wings	Wings	Wings	Wings	Wings	Wings
ESPN (14)	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs
DISC (15)	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco	Disco
TBS (16)	Movie	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local
WGN (17)	Shirts of San Francisco	Beauty and the Beast	Beverly Hills	90210	Fam. Mat.	Dreams	Fam. Mat.	Saved-Bil	Saved-Bil	Saved-Bil	Saved-Bil	Saved-Bil
AMC (18)	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs
TNN (19)	VideoPM	America's Country Hits	Dallas	Wildhose Saloon	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance
MTV (20)	VideoPM	Music Videos	Most Wanted Jams	Wildhose Saloon	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance	Chb Dance
LIFE (21)	Movie	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local
HN (22)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
FAM (23)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
FAM (23)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
A&E (24)	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs
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SHOW (14)	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs
TMC (17)	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs
DGSM (18)	Donald	Pool	Movie	Movie	C. Brow	Tale Role	Doclates	Clip-De	Good Troop	Movie	Movie	Movie



## NEWS

## Obituaries

## Mae Heller

Mae (Short) Heller, 74, of Gary, Ind., died Thursday, Feb. 13, 1997.

Mrs. Heller was born and raised in Granite City and was a member of Cline Avenue Baptist Church in Highland. Survivors include her husband, William Heller, one son, Billy Ray Heller of Hammond, Ind.; one daughter, Dorothy Boyer of Griffith, Ind.; one brother, Kenneth Short of Griffith, Ind.; one sister, Juanita Barnes of Granite City; eight grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James and Elizabeth Short; four brothers and three sisters.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 15, at Kulper Funeral Home, 9039 Kleinman Road, Highland, with the Rev. Jim Miller officiating. Burial was in Calumet Park Cemetery.

## Abner Branding

Abner O. Branding, 101, of Chesterfield, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 10:15 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 16, 1997, at Delmar Gardens on the Green Care Center in Chesterfield, Mo. He was born April 2, 1895, in Granite City.

Mr. Branding was a World War II Army veteran, was owner/operator of Branding Mobile Service Station in Granite City for 40 years. He was a member of St. John United Church of Christ, American Legion Post 113 and Masonic Lodge, all in Granite City.

Survivors include one daughter, Millicent Guertl of Town and Country, Mo.; one son, Glen A. Branding of Laclede, Mo.; eight grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Grace (Elmore) Branding; his parents, Henry and Mittie (Worster) Branding; five

brothers and five sisters. Services were held Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Dick Mann officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road, Granite City.

## Clifton Patterson

Clifton D. Patterson, 73, of Glen Carbon died at 1:12 p.m. Monday, Feb. 17, 1997, at Cox Memorial Hospital in Springfield, Mo. He was born April 28, 1923, in Dover, Tenn.

Mr. Patterson, a carpenter, retired from Granite City Steel in 1982 after 38 years of service. He won the Illinois State Harmonic Championship six times and was runner-up in the National Harmonic.

Survivors include his wife, Peggy (McDowell) Patterson, whom he married in 1964; three daughters, Winnie Breuer of Greenville, Mo.; Lynn Vincent of Duncin, Mo.; and Debra Jones of Glen Carbon; five sons, Glen D. Patterson of Caseyville, Mo.; Clifton D. Patterson of Collinsville, Mo.; Jonathan E. Patterson of Granite City, Mo.; Kenneth D. Patterson of St. Louis, Mo.; and David Hollis of Dallas, Mo.; two brothers, L. Hilton Patterson of Granite City and W.A. Patterson of Overland Park, Mo.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Mary (Winnie) Patterson; and his father and stepmother, Lloyd and Eleanor Patterson.

Visitation was Wednesday, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Thursday at Irwin Chapel. Burial will be in Lake View Memorial Gardens, Fairview Heights.

## Mary Kell

Mary Ruth (Stewart/Lewey) Kell, 88, of Granite City died at 12:10 p.m. Monday, Feb. 17, 1997, at her residence. She was born April 10, 1928, in Campbell, Mo.

Mrs. Kell was a homemaker and member of City Temple in Granite City.

Survivors include her husband, Ralph Kell; two sons, Gary Lewey of Alton and Bob Lewey of Palm Springs, Calif.; one daughter, Carol Marland of Collinsville; two brothers, Johnny and Carlton Stewart both of Campbell, Mo.; and her stepmother, Virginia Stewart of Campbell, Mo.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Clifford Lewey; her parents, John C. and Opal (Gaunt) Stewart; and one son, Stewart Lewey.

Services are scheduled for 1 p.m. today, Tuesday, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Michael Hopkins officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

## Margaret Green

Margaret (Asbrook) Green, 89, of Madison died Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She was born June 12, 1907, in Madison.

Mrs. Green was a graduate of Dunbar Elementary in Madison; Sumner High School in St. Louis; Illinois Normal College in Normal; and received her B.S. from McKendree College in Lebanon; and continued her studies at Harris-Stowe Teachers College and St. Louis University. An elementary teacher in the Madison Public Schools from 1932 to 1971, she taught at Dunbar School in 1932, continued her teaching at Blair Elementary School from 1933 to 1971. She was a school system as an elementary teacher at Harris School in 1975.

An active member of the community, she worked closely with Catholic Charities. Her club affiliations included Progressive Women's Club (a past president); Southern District of Illinois Association of Women, Girls, and Boys (a past president); The East St. Louis and vicinity Council of Club Women; The Central Association of Colored Women's Club; The National Association of Colored Women's Club; The West Madison Federated Club; Mo. Teachers Retirement; McKendree College Alumni; and the Silver Belles Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Green was a member of Bethel Church, where she served as a Sunday school teacher and pianist for the Sunday School Choir.

Survivors include one daughter, Betty Thomas Baker of Venice; one granddaughter and two great-grandsons.

She was married to Raymond

Green on March 16, 1943. He preceded her in death on March 10, 1990. She was also preceded in death by her parents, Frederick and Grace (King) Asbrook.

Visitation will be from 4 to 9 p.m. today, Tuesday, at Officer Funeral Home, 2114 Missouri Avenue, East St. Louis. Services are scheduled for 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21, at Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, 1035 Market, Madison, with the Rev. John Q. Owens officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis.

## Armon Hill

Armon Anthony Hill, 1 month, of Madison died Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

Survivors include his parents, Lorenzo and Ava Hill; six brothers and sisters, Delane Hill, Yvonne Hill, Trina Hill, Ebony Mosley, Lorenzo Hill Jr. and Jacquell Hill; and his grand-children, Verlene and John Earl Hill and Walter and Jose Hill.

Services were held Tuesday, Feb. 18, at St. Philip's Apostolic Church of God, 2620 Caseyville, Washington Park, with the Rev. Eugene Cox officiating. Burial was in Sunset Gardens of Memory Cemetery ("Babyland"), St. Louis Township.

Arrangements were handled by Officer Funeral Home, 2114 Missouri Avenue, East St. Louis.

## Nina Marshman

Nina H. (Charbonneau) Marshman, 90, of Granite City died at 9:55 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1997, at Colonnades Nursing Home in Granite City. She was born Dec. 21, 1906, in Bridgeport, Conn.

Mrs. Marshman, a homemaker, was a member of HT Church, P.E.O. and former member of First Presbyterian Church in Granite City.

Survivors include two daughters, Barbara Dresser of St. Louis and Eddy Marshman of Granite City; one sister, Barbara E. Dewey of Seminole, Fla.; and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, E. George Marshman, who died in 1988; and her parents, Alfred and Lucy (Meador) Marshman.

No services will be held. The body was cremated.

Arrangements were handled by Davis Funeral Home, 21st and Cleveland, Granite City.

## Linus Schmid

Linus P. Schmid, 69, of Granite City died at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1997, at his residence of a sudden illness. He was born May 1, 1928, in Brown County, Minn.

Mr. Schmid, a U.S. Army veteran, was retired from Prairie View Dairy after 35 years as a truck

driver. He was a member of Moose Lodge 272 and Eagles Lodge 1126.

Survivors include two daughters, Debra Branson of St. Louis and Sheila Brownlee of Granite City; two sons, Linus D. Schmid of Granite City and Johnny Schmid of Dorchester; one sister, Alice Lawson of Nicholls, Minn.; and nine grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Shirley (Combs) Schmid; his parents, John and Clara (Gru) Schmid; and one son, Peter Schmid.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. today, Thursday, at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach. Services are scheduled for 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21, at Werner Chapel with the Rev. Alan Sikos officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis.

## Clifford Johnson

Clifford R. Johnson, 89, of Collinsville died at 7:15 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1997, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. He was born Feb. 9, 1908, in Newman Grove, Neb.

Mr. Johnson retired from the U.S. Army in 1964 as a lieutenant after 25 years of service. He was a World War II and U.S. Army veteran and life member of Collinsville VFW Post 5691.

Survivors include his wife, Doris (Edwards) Johnson, whom he married Sept. 6, 1964; three daughters, Carol Pickens of Granite City and Jill Reed and Debbie Johnson, both of Berne, Mo.; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Carl G.A. and Berta A. Johnson; one brother, Lowell Johnson; and a sister, Lorraine. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Thursday, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21, at Irwin Chapel in Granite City with Joseph T. Larsen officiating. Burial will be in Gillespie City Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to the American Heart Association or Alzheimer's.

## George Cuvar

George Cuvar, 79, of Glen Carbon, former lifelong resident of Granite City, died at 8:40 a.m. Monday, Feb. 17, 1997, at Collinsville Care Center following a lengthy illness. He was born April 17, 1917, in Madison.

Mr. Cuvar was a welder, retired in 1982 from Ford Motor Co. in Hazelwood, Mo., after 10 years of service. He was an electrician. He was a World War Army Air Force vet.

result of an auto accident that occurred on Rt. 104, 1/4 mile west of Pawnee. Private funeral services were held Wednesday, Feb. 12, at Shaffer Funeral Home, 202 W. Third, Collinsville. Burial was in John's Cemetery in Granite City.

Memorials are suggested to the family. HARP, Lois R. (Thompson), 83, of Granite City died at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, 1997, at Colonial Care Center in Granite City.

Services were held Monday, Feb. 17, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Tom Wise officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

RYAN, Brianna Lynn Marie, 1 month, of Madison died Saturday, Feb. 15, 1997, at her residence.

Services were held Tuesday at Full Gospel Fellowship Church, 2301 Orville, Granite City, with the Rev. Ron Johnson officiating. Burial was in St. John Maryville Road Cemetery in Granite City.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. CULVER, 35, of Granite City died at 4:05 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 16, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Arrangements are pending at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. KIRKOVER, Nina A. (Frazier), 87, of Granite City died at 6:27 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 16, 1997, at University Manor in Edwardsville.

Graveside services were held Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Evergreen Cemetery in Edwardsville. Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements were handled by Davis Funeral Home, 21st and Cleveland, Granite City. KAMADULSKI, Edward, 75, of Granite City died at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 15, 1997, in

gran and 48-year member of AMVETS Post 51.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Elizabeth (Kraft), whom he married in 1940; one son, George Cuvar of Dayton, Ohio; one brother, Martin Cuvar of Granite City; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Visitation is from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. today, Thursday, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. Services are scheduled for 11:30 a.m. today at Irwin's Maryville Road Chapel. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to the Alzheimer's Foundation.

## Kathryn Gallo

Kathryn Gallo, 89, of Granite City died at 5:20 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1997, at Colonnades Nursing Home in Granite City. She was born Aug. 1, 1907, in Granite City.

Mrs. Gallo retired from Harris-Pick in St. Louis after 40 years as a seamstress. She was a member of Apostolic Christian Church in Madison.

Survivors include one brother, Steve Gallo of Granite City; one sister, Mary Theis of Granite City; nieces and nephews; great-nieces and nephews; and great-great-nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, George Sr. and Anna (Venorsky) Gallo; three sisters, Anna Gallo, Sue Scherer and Eva Janco; and one brother, George Gallo Jr.

Visitation will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 23, at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Avenue, Granite City. Services will be at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Dave Gagin officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

## Lucy Vartanian

Lucy Vartanian, 86, of Granite City died at 10:34 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1997, at her residence. She was born Nov. 8, 1910, in Granite City.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Thursday, at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Avenue, Granite City. Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21, at St. Gregory Armenian Church, 1723 Maple, Granite City, with the Rev. Fr. Vartanian officiating.

## C. McCollum

Charles J. McCollum, 81, of Granite City died at 10:24 a.m. Monday, Feb. 17, 1997, at his residence. He was born Sept. 24, 1915, in Fillmore.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Thursday, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21, at Irwin's Maryville Road Chapel with the Rev. Dr. Lewis Trotter officiating.

Granite City. Services were held Tuesday, Feb. 18, at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2801 Madison Avenue, Granite City with the Rev. Bill Fisherkeller officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville.

Memorials are suggested to Masses to Holy Family Catholic Church. Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City.

MYATT, Jacqueline Nadine (Dalton), 62, of Granite City died at 8:30 a.m. Friday, Feb. 14, 1997, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

A memorial service will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, at Asbrook Shepard United Methodist Church, 3025 National, Granite City, with the Rev. Max Wood officiating.

Memorials are suggested to the Nadine Myatt Memorial at Good Shepard United Methodist Church.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. BAYER, Hubert W., 70, of Carman, Mo., died Sunday, Feb. 16, 1997.

Services are scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 20, at the Word of Life Church in Canton, Ga., with the Revs. Robert Lamb and Danny Smith officiating. Burial will be in Big Springs Cemetery.

Arrangements were handled by Sosebee Funeral Home, 191 Garvis St., Canton, Ga., 30114, (707)479-2131. WILKINSON, LeRoy, 57, of Stewart, Tenn., formerly of Granite City, died Saturday, Feb. 8, 1997, at Clarksville Memorial Hospital in Clarksville, Tenn.

Services were held at Anglin Funeral Home in Dover, Tenn., with the Rev. David Whitehead officiating. Burial was in Lane Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society.

## Reunion

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Jessen's mother said. Crystal was only 12 years old, she said. Unable to complete high school without her mother's support, Crystal was forced to find a house keeping job at motel and move into a boarding house, she said.

Jessen came in contact with Crystal for the first time on Jan. 27 after she sent him a letter asking to stay with him. In the letter, Crystal wrote, "I would like to get to know my own father. After 16 years, why now? One explanation is I have been living five months on my own and need emotional and financial support. I hope this isn't too much of a shock. I feel this is a wise decision."

She included her telephone number in the message to her father.

"I felt stunned for a couple of hours, read the letter again and again, and then called her," Jessen said.

During Crystal's absence, Jessen never received a Father's Day card or a gift from his daughter, his mother said. All the gifts he sent to her on special occasions were returned. He had no contact with his wife at all, she said.

Crystal and her mother, Kimberly, lived in San Bernardino, Calif., Wyoming and Montana.

While in San Bernardino, they lived with Kimberly's parents, Elizabeth said.

Lack of money to afford an out-of-state attempt to gain custody of Crystal prevented Jessen from pursuing his daughter. Though he divorced her mother after she left him, he did send \$80 a month in child support and paid Crystal's health insurance, Jessen's mother said.

"It's been nothing but grieving for all of us," she said. "It almost ruined Gary's life, trusting a woman again and remarrying."

"My son is a good person," Cooper said. "He did nothing to deserve this. There is a victory. Things are looking better."

While Crystal stays with her father, she will be attending school to earn her General Equivalency Diploma. Though Jessen currently lives with his parents, he and Crystal will be finding a place of their own.

Jessen said he works as a security guard at the Airport Radisson Hotel in St. Louis County and will be able to support Crystal. Crystal's mother could not be reached for comment.

## Funeral summary

BEGLEY, Victoria H. (Ben), 84, of Fairmont City died at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1997, at her residence.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 15, at Herbert A. Kasky Funeral Home, 515 Vandavia, Collinsville, with the Rev. David Wilke officiating. Burial was in St. Peter's and Paul Catholic Cemetery, Collinsville.

Memorials are suggested to Masses or Holy Rosary Parish. WILKIE, Joseph M. "Joe", 81, of Highland died at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1997, at St. Joseph Hospital in Highland.

Services were held Friday, Feb. 14, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home, 1501 Ninth St., Highland, with the Rev. Steven A. Janoski officiating. Burial was in St. Jerome Catholic Cemetery in Troy.

Memorials are suggested to Faith Countryside Homes Nursing Center Flag and Pole Fund.

FRYNTZKO, Mary (Popovchak), 75, of Granite City died at 2:50 a.m. Friday, Feb. 14, 1997, at Delmar Gardens on the Green Nursing Home in Chesterfield, Mo.

Services were held Monday, Feb. 17, at Nativity of Virgin

Mary Orthodox Church, 5th & Ewing, Madison, with the Rev. Thomas Succarotto officiating. Burial was in Nativity of Virgin Mary Orthodox Cemetery in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to Nativity of Virgin Mary Orthodox Church of Madison or St. Louis Alzhemiers Association.

Arrangements were handled by Thomas Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City. MOORE, Lucille (Whitehead), 74, of Granite City died at 6:08 p.m. Monday, Feb. 10, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she had been a patient for five days.

Services were held Thursday, Feb. 13, at Bethel Chapel Pentecostal Church, 2445 Ohio, Granite City, with the Rev. Gerald Green officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to Bethel Chapel, American Diabetes Association, Heart Fund or St. Joseph Home Health Care.

Arrangements were handled by Davis Funeral Home, 21st and Cleveland, Granite City. COLLINS, (Mrs. "Tackett"), 59, of Taylorville, formerly of Granite City, died at 6:15 a.m. Monday, Feb. 10, 1997, at the

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## NEWS

# Crash report no surprise to airport area residents

Revelations that a test pilot was flying too low when he crashed his McDonnell Douglas fighter jet last June came as no surprise to Bethalto residents.

"It doesn't surprise me, there was not enough altitude. We talked about that about an hour after the crash. It's just a foregone conclusion," said Mayor William Stephenson of a soon-to-be released report by the National Transportation Safety Board.

The report says Jeffrey Crutchfield was flying too low while practicing aerobatic maneuvers June 19. The jet hit power lines, then plunged into a garage on Bender Avenue in the Wayside Estates subdivision off Illinois Route 111.

Immediately following the fiery crash, residents said the F/A-18C Hornet fighter was swooping dangerously low the St. Louis Regional Airport.

Stephenson said he was unable to reach officials from the Federal Aviation Administration to request the agency set higher flight ceilings in the area, but he said he hopes other pilots will take notice of the accident.

"It was just a mistake. Hopefully, it won't happen again around here," Stephenson said.

Mark Puetzel, 44, of the 800 block of Oakwood Lane, ran to the plane after the crash in an unsuccessful attempt to assist the pilot. He said he did not see Crutchfield's maneuvers but noted there had been other low-flying stunts earlier by jets.

"They flew pretty low a number of times," he said. "If he hadn't hit the telephone poles, he wouldn't have hit the ground. That's how low he was flying. He might have rode it out." If he hadn't hit the lines, Puetzel said he has not seen any aerobatic stunts over Bethalto since the crash.

Previously, sources close to the investigation said Crutchfield also may have been outside his designated area or "show box" at the time of the crash.

Crutchfield, 44, of St. Charles, Mo., was an experienced McDonnell Douglas Corp. test pilot. No one on the ground was injured.

According to the NTSB, air safety officials had warned that Crutchfield should be closely watched because he flew unsafely at an earlier air show.

The test flight over Bethalto was Crutchfield's first attempt to fly aerobatic maneuvers in a jet, according to the transportation board. The agency has completed its investigation of the accident and is expected to issue a formal report soon.

The safety board will not say what caused the crash but has ruled out mechanical problems, collision with another aircraft and weather disturbances.

The investigation found Crutchfield may not have heard a McDonnell Douglas observer's order to abort his aerobatic maneuver because he was much too low. The observer's radio was malfunctioning.

Before coming to McDonnell Douglas in 1983, Crutchfield was a Navy flight instructor and had developed safety procedures for the F-18.

Crutchfield's record as a pilot was stellar. He was in perfect health. His colleagues describe him as conscientious. He taught aerobatics in the engine test facility.

But just 11 days before his death, two FAA inspectors said they saw Crutchfield exhibit alarming behavior at an air show in St. Charles.

Inspector Carl D'Agnes described Crutchfield as "getting sloppy," "kind of unconcerned about everything"

and "very complacent." Cecil Whitrock, another FAA inspector at the air show, became worried when Crutchfield looped and orbited his small, piston-engine plane low over the crowd.

"Jeff Crutchfield is dangerously low on the bottom of loops," say Whitrock's handwritten notes taken during the show.

Several of Crutchfield's friends and co-workers who were at the air show told investigators they saw nothing out of the ordinary in his flight.

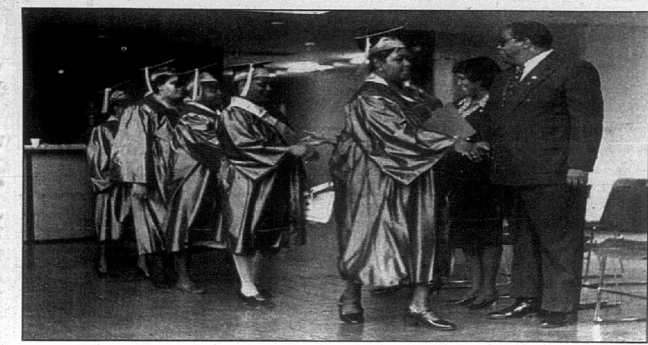
McDonnell Douglas had picked Crutchfield to fly aerobatics at the Czech International Airfest later in the summer.

As part of his aerobatic routine, Crutchfield was to fly a maneuver called the Half Cuban Eight—an upside-down loop that pilots say is not especially difficult.

In a properly executed Half Cuban Eight, a pilot flies parallel to the ground, climbs vertically, rolls over and then flies upside down briefly. The pilot then begins a sharp descent still inverted, flips upright while continuing to descend at a 45-degree angle and finally levels out parallel to the earth.

Before he crashed, Crutchfield flew a few preliminary maneuvers and then began the Half Cuban Eight. For reasons no one has explained, Crutchfield began his roll early and reached a maximum altitude of only 2,284 feet.

— From The Telegraph



East St. Louis City Manager Curtis Galloway congratulates graduates of the vocational training program. (Staff photo by JASON WHITE)

## Believing they can fly

### Eight are first graduates of training program

By Jason White  
Staff writer

Parents, friends and East St. Louis officials attended the graduation Thursday morning of eight students who completed the first vocational training program made possible by Enterprise Community funds.

The Enterprise Community is comprised of Alorton, Brooklyn, Centerville, East St. Louis and Washington Park. For the next 10 years, the communities will receive \$633,000 from the state to assist with economic renewal projects, including welfare reform.

"We have pushed to be one of the first in Illinois to get a welfare reform program," said EC Coordinator Percy Harris. "We're way ahead of the game."

"A lot of the residents in the EC community hate welfare," he said. "They want to be productive individuals."

The Employment Training Center Services has been operating since last year. The eight ETCS students—two from Alorton, two from Centerville and four from East St. Louis—learned word processing, data entry, spreadsheets, graphic presentations, computer programming and other skills. ETCS is owned and operated by East St. Louis resident Pat Brock.

"Care first for yourself," she told the graduates. "Then care for others."

All of the graduates have jobs, many at Metro-East businesses.

"We can, with confidence, present our skills to the marketplace, knowing that the only thing that separates us is time in the field."

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— Percy Harris  
EC coordinator

said valedictorian Leonard Sloan.

Salutatorian Latea Allen said ETCS enabled her to get a job at First Illinois Bank.

"After today, I still can't buy a house or a car, but I can perceive how I can buy those things," she said. "It goes beyond typing and using a computer...we received our dignity."

Harris said the program has obtained additional funding and will be expanded next year to include 100 students. The program is the first of its kind in Illinois, he said.

Mayor Gordon Bush told the graduates he related to the graduation theme, "I Believe I Can Fly."

"When I was in OCS (Officer Candidate Training School), the tactical officers told me: You are from East St. Louis and you will never graduate from OCS," Bush said. "I believed, as you believe, that I can fly," he said, adding that he graduated from OCS at the top of the class.

"You are our link to the future," he told the graduates.

## Ryan calls for fight on illiteracy

Illinois Secretary of State George H. Ryan is calling for the citizens of Illinois to help put an end to illiteracy.

He is asking individuals to step up and become volunteer literacy tutors to some of the four million adults in Illinois who cannot read or write well enough to perform their daily tasks.

Ryan has established the Illinois Adult Learning Hotline. Through this telephone service, volunteers can be matched up with an individual who needs help with these subjects, or a literacy program which needs volunteers, in their local area.

Local literacy programs then provide literacy tutors with tutor training and materials.

Project READ, administered through Belleville Area College's Adult Basic Education department, is one such literacy program that links volunteer tutors with individuals who need help improving their reading and writing skills.

Tutor training sessions are scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 26, and Saturday, March 1, in the Cahokia area; and Thursday, March 6, and Saturday, March 8, in the Granite City area. Tutor training and materials are free of charge.

Volunteer tutors spend approximately two hours a week tutoring adult students. Tutoring sessions are held in public locations such as churches and libraries.

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# Sports

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## Smith, Warriors outshine Stars

Granite City holds off McCluer North 55-47

By Patrick C. Heston  
Staff writer

The Granite City Warriors boys basketball team gave away Tuesday's game at Memorial Gymnasium, but the McCluer North Stars wouldn't take it.

GCHS (10-15) used a stingy defense and dead-eye shooting to offset sloppy ballhandling and capture a 55-47 victory. Both squads were playing shorthanded.

McCluer North (10-15) was without leading scorer Anthony Jackson, a 5-11 senior guard averaging 13 points per game. The Warriors' Dustin Brewer saw only 6½ minutes of action, netting three points, and was obviously way off his game, having missed valuable practice time due to a recent injury.

Granite City started off impressively, hitting 70 percent of its field goal attempts in the first quarter and building a 19-11 lead just 2:15 from the horn.

But the momentum shifted suddenly as the Stars reeled off 13 straight points in the next 3½ minutes, drawing within 19-16 after one quarter and moving ahead 24-20 at the 6:30 mark of quarter two.

Ray Smith's 3-pointer with 5:07 left in the second quarter was the Warriors' first field goal in over five minutes. And when Smith came right back with a layup off a steal, GCHS was back in front, 25-24, with 4:49 remaining. The score was knotted 30-30 at the half.

"I told the kids at halftime that they'd made this a game now and it shouldn't have been," said GCHS coach John Van Buskirk. "The game could have been made easy and we made it hard."

The Warriors responded to Van Buskirk's locker room lecture by tightening up their defense and holding McCluer North to only four third quarter points.

"The third quarter killed us," said Stars coach Tom Hipp. "You go on the road and are tied at the half and you're real happy with that. But in the third quarter, our players were passive and Granite City's defense gave us only two or three good looks at the basket the entire quarter. In a

varsity game, you can't get four points in a quarter and expect to win very often."

McCluer North actually had three times as many turnovers as field goals in the third quarter (six), and turned the ball over 20 times on the night, compared to 18 turnovers for the Warriors.

With GCHS ahead 41-34 in the fourth quarter, McCluer North put on a rally but could never draw closer than four points. The Warriors maintained a single-digit lead over that last four minutes of the game.

Mike Murphy, a 6-5 junior, came off the bench for McCluer North to score 12 points worth of damage on the inside. Reggie Rainey, a 6-1 junior reserve, drained three of seven treys on his way to a 13-point night.

Smith, one of the top guards in the area, set the pace for the Warriors, dropping in a game-high 21 points, 10 in the last four minutes. Reggie Briggs scored 10 points, Mike Alhivers netted nine and Jeff Hoenig contributed eight, including a game-high 10 rebounds in the fourth quarter.

Van Buskirk will take the win, but he'll be disappointed. (See WARRIORS, Page 38)

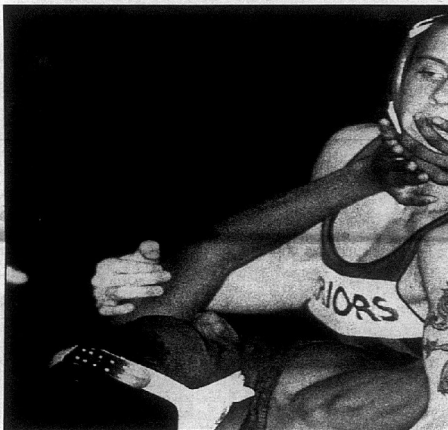


(Staff photo by JOHN FRESI)

Ray Smith had a game-high 21 points in Tuesday's win.



Brewer



Junior 112-pounder Adam Dunnivant, one of seven GCHS wrestlers to qualify for state, enters the tournament with a first-round bye after winning the sectional title. The tournament kicks off Friday at Champaign's Assembly Hall.

(Staff photos by JOHN FRESI)

## Warriors lead area's march to state meet

By Patrick C. Heston  
Staff writer

The Illinois state wrestling finals Friday and Saturday at Champaign's Assembly Hall will feature 15 area grapplers, including seven qualifiers from Granite City in the hunt for medals.

The Warriors advanced an area-best seven of 13 qualifiers in last weekend's Granite City Sectional.

GCHS freshman Gary Oxford (39-8) gained the toughest draw of the finals at 103 pounds. He faces a first-round match with sophomore Keith Petta (25-12) of Chicago Sullivan. If Oxford wins, he will go head-to-head with the top wrestler in the class, Aurora West sophomore Nathan Martinez (34-2).

Granite City's Adam Dunnivant (28-9), a junior and sectional champion at 112 pounds, will meet the winner of a first-round bout between Naperville North senior Mike Pesola (34-5) and Burbank St. Laurence junior Jeff Jezuit (27-9).

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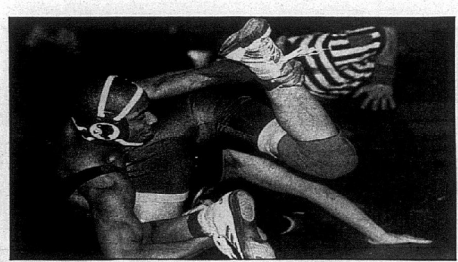
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Granite City senior Mike Glover (left) battles Ryan Voyles of Civic Memorial. Glover will cap off his career with the Warriors at state this weekend after placing second in sectional competition at 119 pounds.



Jim Woodcock  
Blues executive

## Woodcock joins Blues as senior VP

By Brian Bretsch  
Staff writer

Jim Woodcock has scored the ultimate hat trick — a job with the St. Louis Blues Hockey Club.

Woodcock, a Caseyville native and the former Collinsville Herald sports editor, began his first day of work on Monday as the Blues' new senior vice president of marketing and communications. He replaces Tom Maurer, who held the same title.

The 36-year-old Woodcock joins the National Hockey League franchise after spending four years at the world headquarters of Fleishman-Hillard, where he worked on the

agency's communications programs for Anheuser-Busch Inc. and numerous Fortune 500 clients.

While at Fleishman-Hillard, Woodcock worked on some marketing projects with Jerry Ritter, who at the time was chief financial officer of Anheuser-Busch.

When Ritter became a member of the St. Louis Blues family, he began to look to Woodcock for some friendly advice. "I got to know each other and then over time I phased into a counseling role with the Blues on the business side of it, obviously, not counseling with the players," Woodcock said. "Then there was an unusual food chain of events

that occurred last fall that led to some front office changes. Ultimately there was a front office change that provided me with an opportunity to come over here."

"It was a decision that didn't come easily because I really love Fleishman-Hillard. The work I did on behalf of Anheuser-Busch and Fleishman-Hillard was great. What a great company to work for. It was a tough decision. I weighed the pros and cons and ultimately it came to whether I could live with myself a couple of years from now wondering what might have been."

The "wondering what might have been" stemmed from the (See WOODCOCK, Page 38)

## East girls oust GCHS in regional

By Patrick C. Heston  
Staff writer

It was not a good experience for most area schools this week in the opening round of the Class AA girls basketball regionals.

Granite City, East St. Louis and Cahokia all bit the dust. Only East St. Louis Lincoln advanced.

Second-seeded Belleville East had simply too much of everything for Granite City on Tuesday night, blasting the Warriors 81-27. Jessica Jackson had 23 points and Leah Frierson grabbed 12 rebounds for the Lancasters (24-3).

Carrie Simpson, playing her last varsity game, led the Warriors with 13 points. Kara Coleman had eight rebounds. GCHS finished the year with one victory in 20 tries.

Jerseyville, the sectional complex's No. 3 seed, had little trouble handling East St. Louis on Tuesday. LaReyva Mosby had 22 points and 14 rebounds could not offset the Lady Panthers' one-two punch of all-star Katie Mortensen (23 points) and Mary Elliot (16 boards).

On Monday night, Cahokia was crushed by fifth-seeded Edwardsville 86-39. The favorites had a 45-12 advantage in the second half. Werner had 18 points for the winners, while Meyers had 17 points and seven steals. Ellipsus led Cahokia with 16 points.

Lincoln avoided a clean sweep of area teams by defeating Alton 57-45 Monday night. Lakeisha Cole had 13 points for the Tigerettes. Andrea Rucker had a team-best 14 points and eight assists and Monica Powell had eight points to complement a game-high 17 rebounds.

In other first-round games, Belleville West upset fourth-seeded Chatham Glenwood 54-44 Tuesday as Danielle Lawary powered her way to 18 points and 11 rebounds. On the same night, darkhorse Fallon upset past champion Jacksonville 58-43 behind Jaime Taylor's 16 points and 10 boards.

And on Monday night, Civic Memorial rode Jenny Combes' 12 points and 11 more from Valerie McCoy to a convincing 44-26 win over Collinsville. The Eagles shut out the Kahoks in the second quarter.

It was hard to tell who the winner was between Collinsville and CM as the Eagles must travel to Taylorville to take on the state's third-ranked team tonight.

Lincoln and Edwardsville square off at 7:30 tonight, in a matchup of two of the quickest teams in southern Illinois. The winners earn a berth to the sectional semifinals and a probable showdown with Taylorville.

O'Fallon tangles with Jerseyville tonight at 7:30 in what promises to be the most exciting game among the regional finals. Jerseyville is favored but a lack of team size could (See REGIONAL, Page 38)



## SPORTS

## Hockey

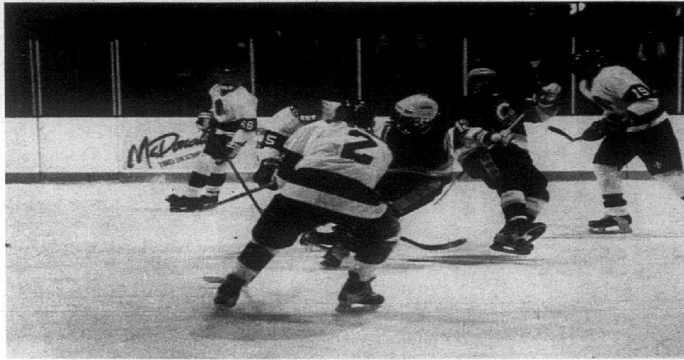
## Mid-States Club Hockey Association

## Playoff Pairings

## FIRST ROUND

Game 1: Howell 1, Fox 3  
Game 2: Howell 8, Fox 3  
Game 3: Howell 1, Fox 3  
Game 4: Howell 1, Fox 3  
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Game 1: CBC 4, Howell 3  
Game 2: CBC 8, Howell 0  
Game 3: Webster Groves vs. SLUH  
Game 4: SLUH 4, Webster Groves 5  
Game 5: Webster Groves 2, SLUH 2  
Game 6: Webster Groves wins sudden death OT  
Game 7: Kirkwood vs. Howell North  
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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Granite City's Bob Meszaros (2) and Brian Johnson (15) battle for the puck as teammates Bob Pritchard (68) and Jon Burns (19) look on. The Warriors fell to Rockwood Summit in the opening round of the Mid-States Club Hockey Association playoffs.

## Girls basketball

Belleville East Sectional  
Monday, Feb. 17  
Game 1: Taylorville (1), bye  
Game 2: Civic Memorial 44, Collinsville 25  
Game 3: East St. Louis Lincoln 57, Alton 45  
Game 4: Edwardsville 86, Cahokia 39  
Tuesday, Feb. 18  
Game 5: Belleville East 81, Granite City 27  
Game 6: Belleville West 54, Chatham Glenwood 44  
Game 7: Jerseyville 63, East St. Louis 48  
Game 8: O'Fallon 58, Jacksonville 43  
Thursday, Feb. 20

Game 9: Taylorville (1) vs. Civic Memorial (8), 7:30 p.m.  
Game 10: East St. Louis Lincoln 4 vs. Edwardsville (5), 7:30 p.m.  
Game 11: Belleville East (2) vs. Belleville West (7), 7:30 p.m.  
Game 12: Jerseyville (3) vs. O'Fallon (6), 7:30 p.m.  
Monday, Feb. 24  
at Belleville East High School  
Game 13: Belleville East 9, winner vs. Granite City 10, 6 p.m.  
Game 14: Granite City 11, winner vs. Granite City 14, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Feb. 27  
Game 15: Belleville East 13, winner vs. Granite City 14, 7:30 p.m.

Mt. Vernon Sectional  
Monday, Feb. 17  
Game 1: Paris (1), bye  
Game 2: Carbondale 61, Mascoutah 59 (OT)  
Game 3: Centralia 65, Waterloo 13  
Game 4: Salem 77, Triad 47  
Tuesday, Feb. 18  
Game 5: Mt. Vernon 66, Marion 31  
Game 6: Charleston 49, Effingham 48  
Game 7: Mattoon 70, Mt. Carmel 45  
Game 8: Highland 59, Murphysboro 44  
Thursday, Feb. 20  
Game 9: Paris (1) vs. Carbondale (8), 7:30 p.m.  
Game 10: Centralia (4) vs. Salem (5), 7:30 p.m.  
Game 11: Mt. Vernon (2) vs. Charleston (7), 7:30 p.m.  
Game 12: Mattoon (3) vs. Highland (6), 7:30 p.m.  
Monday, Feb. 24  
at Mt. Vernon High School  
Game 13: Granite City 9, winner vs. Granite City 10, 6 p.m.  
Game 14: Granite City 11, winner vs. Granite City 12, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Feb. 27  
Game 15: Granite City 13, winner vs. Granite City 14, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, March 7  
at Redbird Arena  
Game 1: DeKalb Super-Sectional winner vs. New Lenox Lincoln-Way Super-Sectional winner, 12:15 p.m.  
Game 2: Aurora East Super-Sectional winner vs. Salem Super-Sectional winner, 1:45 p.m.  
Game 3: Chicago Public League winner vs. Summit Argo Super-Sectional winner, 6:30 p.m.  
Game 4: Lincoln Super-Sectional winner vs. Skokie Niles West Super-Sectional winner, 8 p.m.  
Saturday, March 8  
Game 5: Granite City 11, winner vs. Granite City 12, 11:15 a.m.  
Game 6: Granite City 13, winner vs. Granite City 14, 12:45 p.m.  
Game 7: Granite City 15, winner vs. Granite City 16, 3:30 p.m.  
State championship: Granite City 5, winner vs. Granite City 6, 8:15 p.m.

CLASS A GIRLS  
Alhaff Regional  
Monday, Feb. 10  
Game 1: Chester 71, Campbell Hill 70  
Game 2: Gibault 60, Freeburg 45  
Wednesday, Feb. 12  
Game 3: Alhaff 60, Chester 46  
Game 4: Gibault 49, Red Bud 40  
Friday, Feb. 14  
Title: Alhaff 58, Gibault 43  
Du Quoin Sectional  
Monday, Feb. 17  
Game 1: West Frankfort 56, Alhaff 45  
Game 2: Carlyle 58, Okawville 44  
Thursday, Feb. 20  
Championship: West Frankfort vs. Carlyle, 7:30 p.m.

Journal Writers' Poll  
Boys Basketball

LARGE SCHOOLS	
1. DeSmet (23-2).....	66
2. Belleville East (19-3).....	64
3. CBC (18-4).....	57
4. Vashon (17-2).....	50
5. Lafayette (20-4).....	37
6. DeSoto (19-3).....	31
7. Riverview Gardens (14-7).....	23
8. Edwardsville (18-3).....	18
9. Hazelwood East (17-5).....	16
10. Parkway Central (20-0).....	14

SMALL SCHOOLS	
1. Madison (17-8).....	68
2. South County Tech (18-9).....	62
3. John Burroughs (17-3).....	58
4. Venice (15-4).....	41
5. Columbia (16-6).....	33
6. Feast (16-4).....	33
7. Freeburg (15-7).....	31
8. Rosary (15-7).....	18
9. DuBois (18-4).....	14
10. M.E. Lutheran (17-3).....	11

Journal Writers' Poll  
Girls Basketball

LARGE SCHOOLS	
1. Gateway Tech (20-0).....	70
2. Belleville East (23-3).....	63
3. Pattonville (18-3).....	54
4. Troy (19-3).....	49
5. Francis Howell N. (20-4).....	35
6. St. Joseph's (15-7).....	32
7. Nerinx Hall (17-7).....	23
8. Parkway South (17-5).....	19
9. Kirkwood (17-5).....	18
10. Edwardsville (15-8).....	16

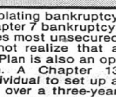
SMALL SCHOOLS	
1. Rosary (20-1).....	70
2. Incarnate Word (19-4).....	63
3. John Burroughs (16-3).....	53
4. Wellston (16-2).....	47
5. Eureka (16-3).....	46
6. Windsor (19-3).....	35
7. Ursuline (16-6).....	25
8. Villa Duchesne (14-8).....	21
9. Principia (14-6).....	8
10. Lutheran South (14-9).....	6

Journal Writers' Poll  
Wrestling

Week of Feb. 19	
Team (Last week's rank)..... Votes	
1. St. Charles West (1).....	88
2. Granite City (2).....	68
3. Francis Howell (3).....	54
4. Fox (4).....	45
5. Oakville (5).....	43
6. McClellan (6).....	33
7. Lindbergh (9).....	20
8. Francis Howell North (*).....	19
9. Edwardsville (8).....	11
10. Collinsville (7).....	10

## THE LAW AND YOU

By RICK REED  
Attorney At Law



Many individuals contemplating bankruptcy only consider filing a Chapter 7 bankruptcy, which normally discharges most unsecured debts in full. They do not realize that a Chapter 13 Wage Earner Plan is also an option available to them. A Chapter 13 bankruptcy allows an individual to set up a plan to pay his creditors over a three-year period.

Some debtors have a sincere desire to pay their debts but lack the present ability to stop the creditors from harassing them about delinquent payments. When a person files a Chapter 13 Wage Earner Plan, the creditor can no longer contact him or make attempts to collect the debt. All lawsuits, wage garnishments, mortgage foreclosures, and attempts to repossess a car are stopped by the filing of a Chapter 13 Plan. Thus, a debtor filing a Wage Earner Plan can obtain relief from collection efforts and at the same time arrange to pay back his creditors over a period of years.

There are other reasons why a debtor may want to consider a Chapter 13 Plan rather than a straight bankruptcy. Some debts cannot be discharged by filing a Chapter 7. For instance, some student loans, most back

taxes and all delinquent child support payments cannot be discharged by filing a straight bankruptcy. By filing a Chapter 13 Plan, however, a debtor can force the creditor to accept delinquent payments over a period of years. Therefore, if the Internal Revenue Service is aggressively pursuing back taxes, the taxpayer can file a Chapter 13 bankruptcy and set up a plan to pay the back taxes on a monthly basis.

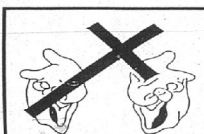
Another reason for choosing the Wage Earner Plan involves the area of secured debts. Examples of secured debts would be a note secured by a mortgage on real estate or a note secured by a lien on an automobile. If a debtor falls behind on his house payments or car payments, he faces the possibility of losing these assets through foreclosure or repossession. If he files a Chapter 7 bankruptcy in this situation, the creditor can insist that all delinquent payments be brought current in order to stop foreclosure or repossession. By filing a Chapter 13 Plan, however, the debtor can stop all attempts to take back the asset and at the same time force the creditor to accept delinquent payments through the Wage Earner Plan over three years.

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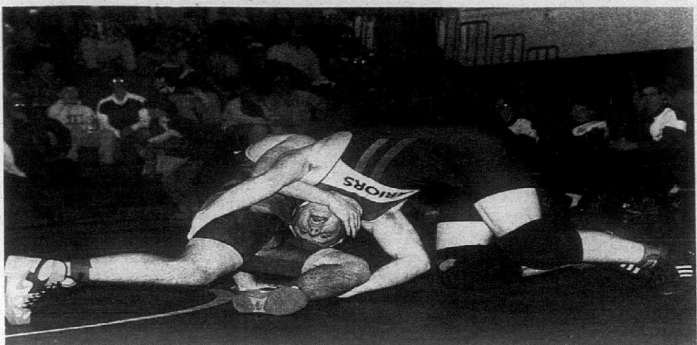
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Sophomore 189-pounder Kevin Venne (right) earned a first-round bye at state with a first-place finish in the sectional last weekend.

## •State

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Adam Lipitz (39-1), one of the state's best wrestlers at 119 pounds.

GCHS sophomore Brooks Narvaez (29-8) and Fox Lake Grant senior Eric Wulf (38-5) square off for the right to meet senior Craig Collins (32-4) of Chicago DeLaSalle in the second round of the 140-pound bracket. Beating Wulf will be no easy task and Collins' tournament experience should make him the favorite in the second bout.

Junior Jonas Janek (37-9) has a solid chance of advancing through his first two rounds in the 145-pound weight class. He meets Chicago Bogan senior Miguel Alvarez (17-14) in the first match and would face South Holland Thornwood senior Mark Pitken (32-10) if he wins.

GCHS freshman George Kirgan (36-11) spurs with senior Adam Butler (31-11) from Fox Lake Grant for the right to meet sectional champion Evan Roberts (25-4), a senior from Hillcrest and one of the premier wrestlers at 171.

Kevin Venne (38-7), who wrestled the most impressive sectional among GCHS matmen, waits for the winner of a first-round 189-pound bout between Normal Community senior Chris Zigmart (31-7) and Villa Park Willowbrook senior Paul Reedy (36-9). The Warriors' sophomore could bring home a medal from the finals.

Other area wrestlers taking the mat at Champaign include Collinsville senior Tony Ostendorf (37-4), who faces back-to-back trouble in Wilmette Loyola Academy senior Matt Picchetti (32-2), and, if he wins, Melmoros junior standout Scott Cardin (32-3).

Also in the heavyweight bracket is Belleville West junior D.J. Bertelmann (29-4), who wrestles Chicago Marist senior John Salvine (32-7) in the finals.

## •Regional

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prove costly against the Lady Panthers.

Also at 7:30 tonight, East meets West in Belleville. West's upset of Chatham Glenwood sets up the biggest rivalry of the regionals and could potentially produce the biggest upset.

Sectional semifinals begin at 6 p.m. Monday at Belleville East High School. The championship game, also at East, is 7:30 p.m. Feb. 27.

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## •Woodcock

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fact that Woodcock had been a diehard Blues fan and season ticket holder for years. Woodcock, a 1978 graduate of Collinsville High, attended his first Blues game in 1969.

It is also the type of job opportunity Woodcock said he never dreamed would ever come to fruition. A front office position with a pro franchise is any sports enthusiast's fantasy come true.

"This position or any kind of senior position with the Blues is something you don't figure it is possible," Woodcock said.

"I was very content over the last 29 years to merely buy lots of tickets to the Blues games and follow them religiously on television and radio. So when this opportunity did come up, it was a real mixture of emotions."

"It is just something you don't lay out on your list of goals for your career — someday I want to become senior vice president of marketing and communications for the St. Louis Blues. Things were going my way in my prior career, so it was something I weighed."

"Being a fan, I am used to coming to the games and preparing for them with my rou-

time of getting down here 45 minutes early, seeing them practice and having a beer. Now I am watching them totally different."

It also helped having the full support of his wife, Elaine. She helped him put the whole opportunity into perspective.

"The way I look at it is there are 26 presidents in the (NHL)," Woodcock said.

"There are 26 marketing executives in the positions like I've got now — 26 in the world. Meanwhile, there are probably 26 bank presidents in a five-mile radius from where we are (Kiel Center) right now. It is a very exclusive opportunity and it became too attractive to overlook."

"(Elaine) was like I was. She had a very cautious approach to it because any time you plunge into the world of professional sports, there is an element of risk."

"The one thing I told her is, 'I don't expect you to understand this, but by coming to the St. Louis Blues I have the opportunity to earn a Stanley Cup ring or a championship ring.' Certainly that is not the (only) goal, but what a rare opportunity to have that chance. How many thousands of people would love to be in that position to do that?"

## •Warriors

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"I'm not even close to being satisfied," he said. "We're just not intense at all. Briggs and Smith have stepped it up, but we need the other kids to step it up, too. Dustin is nowhere close to being ready to play, and that could be costly against East St. Louis, where we need his inside presence."

With Brewer playing very little, Van Buskirk went with a small, three-guard lineup.

"Part of our ballhandling problem was because of Brewer's absence," Van Buskirk said. "We had kids playing out of position and it created a lot of problems for us tonight."

Still, there were bright spots on a sloppy night. The Warriors hit at a 57 percent clip from the field and were an even more impressive 80 percent from the line. Coupled with a choking zone defense, the sharp shooting carried GCHS when the rest of its game was off.

The GCHS game must be on Friday night as the Warriors host Southwestern Conference foe East St. Louis. The Flyers will be looking to avenge a 65-63 home court defeat at the hands of GCHS on Jan. 10.

On Saturday night, the Warriors travel to Collinsville.

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# 'subUrbia': Search for reality by 'desolate postadolescents'

Abstract dreams of New York give Soozie Solace. Pot-smoking, pizza-scarfing Buff's ideal evening is facile: "smoke, babe, slice, brew." Alcohol helps Tim dull his hate and Bee-Bee her anguish. Even Jeff, who possesses the closest thing to motivation, craves only "something real for two or three seconds."

These are the desolate postadolescents who populate the overpaved angstscape of "subUrbia," a bleak film about a day in the life of mediocre overpeople. Sometimes talky, often stazy, always relevant, "subUrbia" — based on Eric Bogosian's play — is a modern morality tale about a place all too familiar in 1990s America: the realm of post-consumer hopelessness. The players in "subUrbia" grope for meaning, but don't quite realize that their lives lack it almost entirely.

There is no plot, really, just a plethora of overlapping backstories that focus on a group of five slackers and the return of one of their high-school acquaintances. Pony, who sings as a band leader (Giovanni Ribisi) lives in a pup tent in his parents' garage and is taking a few community ed courses, trying to figure out what he wants to do with his life. His nights are spent with his friends, providing the retail landscape of the every suburb of Burnfield. They always seem to end up in the parking lot of a particular convenience

store, where they ruminate dully and try to figure out what's wrong. Pony (Jayce Bartok), who has left town and found success as a pop singer, returns in a limo to revisit his old haunts. His presence roils the unhealthy funk in which the friends wallow, and their night of interaction is the pin on which the movie turns.

"The lack of defined story in 'subUrbia' is the point, since life itself has no plot. To these people, hanging out and talking about unattainable goals is the very essence of existence."

"I'm movin' out to L.A.," Buff (Steve Zahn) brags to the Pakistani convenience-store operator, Nazeer (Ajay Naidu).

"That's nice," Nazeer snaps. "They have many convenience stores there to stand in front of."

The performances are dead-on, especially Parker Posey ("Dazed & Confused") as a record-company publicist who accompanies Pony back to Burnfield and becomes intertwined with the group. Zahn is engaging as the cinema's latest Spicoli, and Annie Carr is irresistible as Jeff's angry but good-hearted girlfriend, Soozie. Nicky Katt plays Tim as a brooding, xenophobic young man descending into alcoholism. These young men and women have passed the sheen of youth and lack a solid adulthood to anchor their feet upon. They emotionally

abandon one another simply because they can't figure out how close to act in a habitat as physically lost as they are emotionally.

This is a tale both of possibilities lost and possibilities never realized, of a crew of pure never-will-bes, tragic in their utter inability to understand how trapped they are.

"You wanna know what your problem is, Jeff?" Tim says scornfully. "You want to believe so badly, you'll buy anything."

Nazeer, the minimart operator, functions as the conscience of the only one who cares. He didn't grow up complacent amid the trappings of American suburbia; instead, he sought them out to find success.

At the end of the film, after a sequence of harrowing confrontations, he turns his back in disgust on Jeff and Tim in the store's parking lot. "You people are so stupid," Nazeer says. "You throw it all away."

And his anger echoes into the dawn as the camera pulls away, withdrawing once again past the Color Tile, the tract houses and the cement until Burnfield's barely defined town limit is reached once more.

"subUrbia," a Castle Rock film, is directed by Richard Linklater from a screenplay by Bogosian. It is produced by Anne Walker-McRay.

The movie opened in the United States Friday.

Associated Press

# 'Dante's Peak' is classic disaster

Virile volcanologist Harry Dalton rolls into the bucolic burg of Dante's Peak on a sunny day.

Bands are playing. Politics are grandstanding. A magazine has just named the town the country's second-best place to live in the 20,000-and-under population category. And a death-dealing supervolcano, behemoth looms above it all. You can imagine the rest. The new movie, "Dante's Peak," displays all the elements of the classic Hollywood disaster flick, circa 1975 (turn Allen (with stomach-churning dialogue to match).

It offers:

- Pierce Brosnan as Harry Dalton, the dashing hero-scientist emotionally scarred by his tragic past ("I've always been better at figuring out volcanoes than people and politics.")
- Linda Hamilton as Rachel Wando, the spunky single mom/deli-proprietress/small-town mayor desperate to save the place she loves ("I know it's just a little town, but I couldn't imagine living anywhere else.")
- Charles Hallahan as the skeptical boss with the heart of gold who underestimates the danger at first, then comes around just in the nick of time ("For whatever it's worth, I was wrong and you were right.")
- And Elizabeth Hoffman as the crotchety grandma who refuses to leave her lifelong home on the massive mountain's flank ("This mountain's never going to hurt us. Believe me.")

But wait, there's more. There has to be. The heroine's darling 'children' Lauren and Graham, played by Jamie Renee Smith and Jeremy Foley, embark on a dangerous mission to save grandma. And the family dog, an adorable mutt, disappears

into the fiery maelstrom only to be miraculously reunited with his beloved owners severally.

And then there's the band of scrappy geologists who come to see the show and save the town in the process. One geek's passion for caffeine, meant to inject a little comic relief, makes the most emotionally genuine performance in the movie.

Harry's young and dorky town council, the overacting extras and the backtracking couple that gets boiled alive while swimming naked in a hot spring.

They don't call it a disaster movie for nothing. All Brosnan can do is his James Bond mode, tries to be rough and tough as the dashing volcanologist sent to rescue the tiny hamlet. But when he sits in the local bar completely peeved that neither he nor his volcano are being taken seriously, tossing nuts into his mouth with such force you fear he'll hurt himself, you can only feel sorry for the guy.

He's trying, really he is. But it's a long time. All Brosnan can say when the first giant plume of smoke erupts is an anti-climax. Oh, no. No.

So much of the movie's action takes place in and around sport-utility vehicles that it comes off like a 90-minute car commercial. Land Cruisers may have been made 10 years ago, but today they say one thing: wealthy suburban moms.

Movies of this ilk require that the characters find themselves in preposterously precarious predicaments, and "Dante's Peak" does not disappoint in that regard.

The film also makes good use of the explosive power inherent in a magmatic multi-regional menace. The last 15 minutes are truly impressive, with fire and ash raining down all around the town.

There are scientific inaccuracies, of course, such as rivers of lava more typical of Hawaii than the eastern part of Washington state. But who cares?

"Dante's Peak" has much bigger problems than that. "Dante's Peak" is directed by Roger Donaldson from a screenplay by Leslie Bohem and produced by Gale Anne Hurd and Joseph M. Singer.

Associated Press

# Horoscope

**Thursday, Feb. 20**  
Mercury, the planet of communication and day-to-day events, transits into wise Pisces. Suddenly, very ordinary events take on symbolism. You will be able to see meaning in your routine and understand what your communication style says about you. The sun, Mercury and Venus are all in Pisces, as well. The moon is harmonious, transiting into another water sign, Scorpio. The weekend will be emotional.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** If possible, finalize your financial dealings over the next two days. Physical fitness regimes that you allow your body to rest. You may feel indecisive regarding a number of topics. Luckily, you will still know where to go next.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** Your intuition is hot during the next few days. You may not know why you are saying and doing the things you are saying and doing, but it doesn't matter. It only matters that you listen to that inner voice.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** Include a brother or sister in your daily plans and stellar luck will be yours. If you are confused by logic, trust your intuition. Someone you have faith in could have feet of clay. Make international calls today.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** Your creative drive is most fruitful when someone lifts a burden from your shoulders. There's no use feeling guilty about being so sexy. Your finances are tangled in knots — you're better off going to an expert.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** Spur-of-the-moment decisions have a way of cutting through red tape. If you want to gamble, gamble on your talents, not on lady luck. Love is a roller coaster of emotion. Love is sweetest after waiting and wondering so long.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** Re-evaluating your life clarifies the past and unlocks the future. Opportunities to improve your financial standing come in March. April brings a move or a chance to invest in a home. Love affairs prove to be a joyous challenge. Travel or educational possibilities are introduced in August. September is strong.

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for family affairs. Your best signs for love are Sagittarius and Cancer.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** Ask a Libra and you'll hear what you've been longing for. What you do for others will be long remembered. Sweet dreams are waiting, too, so get extra rest. Let a friend drag you into a new situation, even if it seems a bore.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** Follow through, get organized, and take a chance on a new kind of love. One who shows possessive tendencies should be treated with kindness, even as you hang on tight to your freedom. You know how to take charge.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** Keep your composure. Stretch the budget to include taking a

chance on a new activity or buying a new book. Your family needs firm guidance, and parents ask you for advice. Love with Virgo is splendid.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** Mental relaxation is as important to your health as physical rejuvenation. A big favor asked by friend or family member should be considered carefully; being overgenerous may benefit no one at all.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** Volunteer work contributes to both your business success and your new attitude toward your home life. A marriage proposal is possible. Your best signs for love are Taurus and Aquarius. Be choosy.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** Recognizing a problem is the first step in a brighter future. Friends and advisers have good news. Trust their counsel, as your expertise lies in making money, not investing it. Authority figures are impressed by you.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** Expertise can be gained through research and practice. Thinking things are going to be easy is only going to set you up for a fall. Expect to work and you'll be delightfully surprised.

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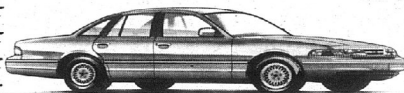
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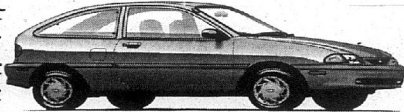
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